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Some Compelled Already to Close

London, Yesterday.

The new beer tax is working havoc among Working Men's Clubs throughout Great Britain. Many are now running at a loss, while some have been compelled

to close down. -The Secretary of the Working Men's Club and Institute Union, which represents 3,000 Clubs with an aggregate membership of nearly a million, says that he has received so many letters from Secretaries of Clubs, who see no alternative to closing, that he has asked the Chancellor of the Exchequer to receive a deputation regarding the matter as soon as possible.—Reuter.

BURMA'S FUTURE. Lord Peel on the Constitution.

'SAFEGUARDS.

Rugby, Yesterday.

At yesterday's meeting of the Burma Round Table Conference, Lord Peel made a statement on the scope of the Conference which is understood to represent Govern ment's views. He said the purpose of the Conference was to devise a Constitution for Burma, on the assumption that Burma would be separated from India. Constitution must allow of progressive realisation of responsible Government in Burma as an integral part of the Empire. Provision must be made for control of the makers for which a popular government would not be in a position to assume responsibility until it had gained experience. This meant reservation of defence, external affairs, and some control of finance and statutory powers for the Governor in safeguarding the rights of minorities, of the Services and of commercial interests. -British Wireless Service.

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JAPANESE JINGOES PREPARING ULTIMATUM?

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REIMPOSITION OF GOLD BAN VIRTUALLY CERTAIN

JAPANESE GENERAL ELECTION

Tokyo, Yesterday.

T is reported from Mukden that the Japanese military authorities are preparing an ultimatum for delivery to General Chang Hsuehliang through the Peking Legation threatening drastic action if he fails to withdraw troops and cease activities within a stipulated time. paleontologist, who has previously done much scientific work in

Prince Saionji, after audience with the Emperor, called in T. Inukai, China, is returning there soon, Prince Salonji, after addience with the Emperor, cancer in 1. Indian, after which he is proceeding to President of the Seiyukai Party, in order to consult with him concerning South America, where the rethe formation of a new Ministry.

Inukai, who was received in audience by the Emperor, has accept- pre-historic times there were ed the Prime Ministership, but is forming a Seiyukai Cabinet instead of means of communication between a coalition government as had been expected. This will entail a General Election owing to the Seiyukai Party's minority in the Diet.

It is now virtually certain that the gold ban will be reimposed as this is the declared policy of the Seiyukai Party.

It is learned on good authority that tope of the first questions the new Cabinet will have to face will be the despatch of one and a livilivisions more troops to Manchuria with the object of "persuading" General Chang Hsuch-liang to remove the Chinchow garrison inside the Great Wall, for its becoming abundantly clear that the Japanese are determined to remove the last vestige of General Chang's influence from Manchuria preferably by peaceful means but otherwise forcibly.

NEGOTIATE **JAPAN** DIRECT WITH CHINA

DAYLIGHT ROBBERY

Chinese Flat Raided in Shamshuipo.

THREE THIEVES ESCAPE.

A daring daylight robbery occurred in Shamshuipo yesterday afternoon.

to deliver.

ed woman named Mui Yuk-kam acceptable now than when first The Prime Minister has promised a (21), who happened to be alone in they were raised. Therefore, comprehensive statement soon after the flat. The men forced their there is no indication when such the reasembly of Parliament on way in. One of them produced a negotiations might begin. small, knife, with which he threatened the woman. Then, while he stood guard over her, the other two proceeded to ransack the place. Eventually they left the

the value of \$50.

DANGEROUS MAN.

she said, spoke Punti.

Poses As Nephew of General.

SENT TO JAIL.

The Chinese youth, Wong Kong, who, was charged at the Kowloon Magistracy on Friday with having obtained goods to the value of \$344.95 from the Empress Store, Kowloon, by false pretences, and left a forged draft for \$3,500 as guarantee of good faith, after purporting to be the nophew of General Wong Koung, was yesterday sent to jail for six months' with hard Inbour.

After hearing the evidence for the prosecution, he denied having said that General Wong Koung was trate, Mr. J. A. Frasor, said that his uncle, and added that he had the accused was a danger to the sury Loan has been oversubscriblplenty of money.

Paris, Yesterday. The drafting committee is expected to meet next week to consider reports from Tokyo and from Nanking concerning Manchuria, also to select the members of the Commission of Inquiry of which, in spite of re-

ports to the contrary, no members

have yet been chosen. It is authoritatively declared here that the Japanese Govern-

Germany Signs Convention Denouncing War.

Geneva, Yesterday. Germany to-day signed the flat, taking with them property to Convention denouncing war based on Article XV of the No violence was used on the Covenant of the League under woman, who raised the alarm after which the Manchuria dispute was escape. The Police subsequently Council requests them to do so, arrived and the woman went to the a decision being taken without a Station where she gave descrip- vote of the parties concerned, tions of the robbers, all of whom, and also agree that the Council continuously next week. may establish a neutral zone, if

> Germany is the first perman- It is understood that the Board I ent member of the Council to sign of Trade will probably issue another the Convention, which twelve order under the Abnormal Importa-States have now signed, includ- tions Act making some alterations ing Austria, Belgium, Greece, in the preceding orders as a result the Netherlands, Spain and Por- of experience and subjecting certain tugal.

Chiang Kai-shek. Tokyo, Yesterday.

An unconfirmed report here tish Wireless Service. states that Canton leaders are determinedly demanding Marshal Chiang Kai-shek's resignation, and the latest demand is said to insist on calling for it before December 20 .- Router.

community, posing as he did, as a In passing sentence the Magis- man of substantial means.

CABINET'S WORK. During the X'mas

IMPORTANT MATTERS.

Recess.

Rugby, Yesterday. The Parliamentary recess will be ment still is ready to negotiate used by Government as an oppor-Three men visited the first floor direct with Nanking on the basis tunity for continuous work on those of 293, Tai Nam Street at 5 p.m., of the five fundamental points problems still awaiting solution. and gained admission by the usual brought up by Mr. Yoshizawa at The session, which has just closed, ruse of one knocking at the door the last Geneva session of the has enabled emergency measures to and saying that he had a message League Council, but there is no be carried into law and now Minisindication here that China finds ters have to decide upon and map The door was opened by a marri- these fundamental points more out the lines of a long-term policy. February 2, though full development of Government's proposals will probably have to await the Budget statement.

The two subjects, which, it is generally expected, will occupy the time of the Cabinet during the recess, are (1) an international conference on reparations and War the robbers had left, but they suc- considered. Signatories agree to take place soon after the experts at ceeded in making good their withdraw troops whenever the Basic have completed their report, and (2) fiscal policy.

> The Cabinet will be in session Later the Prime Minister hopes it considers circumstances war- to get away to Lossiemouth for a short rest.

> > categories of goods to duty. This will not apply, however, to iron and steel for dealing with which Government is understood to regard the emergency act as unsuitable.-Bri-

> > > U.S. LOAN.

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INKS WITH PAST

Sven Hedin Returning to China,

ANCIENT TEMPLE.

Replicas For Stockholm and Chicago.

Stockholm, Yesterday.

In spite of the difficulties caused by the drop in the Swedish kroner, the famous explorer, Sven Hedin, has arranged to return to China in February in order to direct the work of his expedition in Mongolia and Turkestan, and occupy himself with the construction of two replicas of an ancient Chinese temple - one for Stockholm and the other for Chicago?

cent discovery of relics has given rise to a theory that in the Far East and America.

Professor Anderson is desirous of inspecting these relics and testing the theory attaching to them.—Reuter.

SASSANIAN CITY. Hopes of An Oxford Expedition.

NOW IN IRAQ.

London, Yesterday. The Oxford Field Museum Expedition, which has arrived in the middle deserts of Iraq for the Winter Season's work, hopes to uncover the secrets of the oldest city in the world.

Last year the Expedition uncovered two Royal Palaces of Sassanian kings. It hopes this year to uncover the Entire

Sassanian city.—Reuter. The Sassanian dynasty, the ruling dynasty of the neo-Persian empire was founded by Ardashir I. in 226 A.D. and destroyed by the Arabs in 637. The Minoru Race Game, dynasty was named after Sasan, an ancestor of Ardashir I.]

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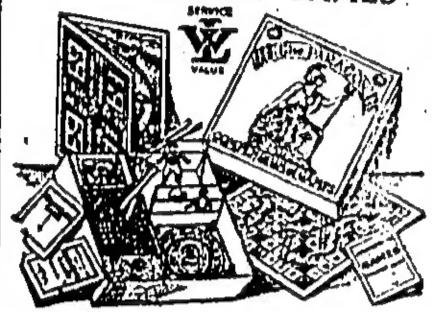
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REPATRIATED CHINESE MINERS ENTER MALARIAL DISTRICT.

BRITISH PLUCK TRIUMPHS

[By C. L. C.]

Special to the Sunday Herald.



Canton Railway was given the fullest possible attention. This week our contributor continues his interesting narrative, dealing with the actual construction and the culmination of a gigantic engincering feat which bears great credit on the indomitable spirit of the British pioncer. The link between the Colony and the Chinese commercial centre in South China was achieved only by praiseworthy perseverance. Malaria stalked through the night and left its never ceasing train in the morning; inexperience on the part of the ordinary labourer offered a check to the speed of the enterprise; and above

YN last week's issue of the Sunday Herald an account of the early

L negotiations in connection with the construction of the Kowloon-

all the British Corporation had to fight against its own Government. In the face of these three difficult hurdles, however, British pluck triumphed and a magnificent engineering feat was accom-November, 1903, Sir Henry adjourn after a strenuous day's commenced simultaneously from

Blake left the Colony, and all work to seek distraction and prob- the North and South ends. Notfurther negotiations for the Chin- ably forgetfulness. It was not an withstanding the many difficulties ese section of the Kowloon-Canton unusual sight to see some of them which had to be surmounted, both Railway project were conducted turning out to work the next as regards labour and explosives, by the Hon. Mr. Francis May, morning with their eyes blacken- excellent progress was made. This

assumed the Governorship of Hong their grievances. The Britons in February 1908, it was anwas begun on the British section same time, and all ill-feelings estimate by \$198,977. In Septemthe British and Chinese Corpora- troubles over cards and dice. But total of 4,603 feet-an average of tion, and work on this line was withal they were honest and hard- about 10 feet a day. also begun.

Enrly Work Useless. Sir Matthew was most enthusiastic over the project. A Royal Engineer himself, he thought he could accelerate its construction by making a start on some of the earth works. This was accordingly carried out under the supervision of Mr. E. W. Carpenter of the Public Works Department, but when Mr. G. W. Eves was sent out by the Crown Agents to make a detailed survey and to superintend the construction of the line as Resident Engineer, he thought an alteration of the alignment was necessary. Thus the greater part of the work accomplished under the supervision of the P.W.D. became useless.

The Pioneers. Among those who were associated with Mr. Eves in this great enterprise were Mr. R. Baker, now Manager and Chief Engineer of the Railway, Mr. G. A. Walker, who is now Traffic Manager and Mr. Morris, is still on the staff. Others were Messra. Waite, his two sons, Steen, Southy, Valpy and M. H. Logan, who is now associated with Mesars, Palmer & Turner.

Hong Kong, a quarter of a century ago, was not what it is today. The dogged spirits of these Britons may well be imagined. The task they had before them was no sinecure, and the nature of their work brought them direct contact with a seething mass of natives, bellicose, and otherwise.

Toll of Human Lives. In the construction of this railway, as in other big projects, human lives had to be sacrificed. Malaria was rampant in those far off days, and many miners and excavators succumbed to this malady. Doctors were attached to each section of the work, and quinine was not kept in bottles but in buckets. The construction of the line was not, however, without its humour. Feeding the coolies with quining every morning was no light task, as Dr. Hartley and his assistants would testify. Every native worker had to be enjoled and humoured into opening his mouth, and quite surreptitously a tabloid was shot into it to be followed by a pail of water.

Black Eyes and Cheap Beer. The Government was fortunate

n this respect. Just about that time a number of Chinese excavators and Italian miners were repatriated from South Africa, and the opportunity was taken to employ those men on the work. But it was no easy matter to maintain discipline among these hardy workers. Beer was cheap in those The famous haunt of the miners was the Royal George Hotel, now known as the

Sir Matthew Nathan, K.C.M.G., scowl at each other, and nurse Superintendent. the Chinese section was signed by The Chinese also had their from north to south had reached a

> Crown Agents Again. The construction of the Railway was in the hands of the Crown Agents, and all the Hong Kong Government had to do was to find the money. This anomaly was subject to much criticism at the time. Questions were even asked in the House of Commons, but this policy was defended on the usual grounds both in the House of Commons and at a meeting of the Legislative Council of the Colony.

working men.

Work, however, went on apace, and two years later, Sir Matthew Nathan was transferred to Natal. He was succeeded by Sir Frederick Lugard, who showed an equally keen interest in the work.

Defective Bridges. The anomalous state of affairs created by the Crown Agents having direct control of the construction brought further dissatisfaction to those who had the interest and welfare of the Colony at heart. when it was disclosed that deviation of the original plans had led to an enormous cost of the Railway. The Crown Agents came in for further criticism when it became known to the public that several bridges which had already been constructed were defective, and had to be blown

Public Incensed. The public was incensed and questions were asked at a meeting ltalian. of the Legislative Council. Sir Frederick Lugard explained that technical responsibility for work undertaken by the consulting en-

up and rebuilt.

gineers rested upon them. It was further explained that direct intervention by the Hong Kong Government was only justifled in the case of urgent necessity; if the Government believed the quality of work to be unsatisfactory, it would be beneficial for it to intervene. Such an occasion | manner, arose in the judgment of the Government when the bridges were reported to be defective by an export committee, and they were rebuilt.

7,256 Feet Tunnel.

While this by-play was going on between the people and the Government, work on the British section was ateadily progressing. This section extending from Kowloon to Samehun via Taipo is 221/4 miles long. There are in all five tunnels; the longest of which, the Beacon Hill tunnel, is 7,256 feet long.

The interest, of course, centred on the construction of the Beacon Hill tunnel. This is described as one of the greatest engineering feats over accomplished in the East. Besides a large expenditure of money, the construction of this tunnol demanded its toll of human lives during the twenty-eight of constructional months labour.

Drilling From Two Ends. This tunnel was started Palace Hotel. There they would January 1907, drilling work was

Officer Administering the Govern- ed, lips swollen and bruises all was largely due to the experience over their faces. They would and skill of Mr. Waite, Tunnel

Kong on July 29, 1904, but it was who had to control these men were nounced that the expenditure on not until a year later that work their mentors and judges at the the tunnel had exceeded the of the rallway. Two years later, were at once smoothed over and ber of the same year, after nine March 7, 1907, an agreement for things made right between them. | months' work, the tunnel heading

Then hard rocks were encountered, and this reduced the pace of progress. From the beginning of the work until the end of the year, the progress per week was 40.27 feet, while in 1908 it was 68.15 feet. By the end of 1908, a total of 5,644 feet were driven-2,528 feet from the South and 3,116 feet from the

The Meeting of the Headings. To all railway men and tunnellers, the "meeting of the headings" is a signal for general rejoicing. This was no less the case with those who were engaged in the Beacon Hill tunnel.

After two and half years of hard work, the tunnel was pierced at 5.30 p.m. on May 17, 1909, several months ahead of the estimated time. The staff was most jubilant. A grand engineering feat and a novel undertaking in this part of the world had at long last been accomplished.

At .4.30 p.m. on that day everyone was on his toes, so to speak, and the air was tense with excitement. A large charge of gelatine was placed in the drill hole and when this was discharged the rock which barred the way was removed. The smoke soon cleared and there was a wild rush of miners and others, all with one object in view -- the honour of being the first to go through the tunnel. This honour fell to a Chinese exenvator who was closely followed, by an

Tunnellers Celebrate.

As the two headings mot, hearty greetings were exchanged between the workmen from the north and south faces. Two baskets of champagne were in readiness to celebrate the occasion, and there underground, in the centre of Beacon Hill, the pioneer tunnellers of South China met and celebrated, the occasion in the time honoured

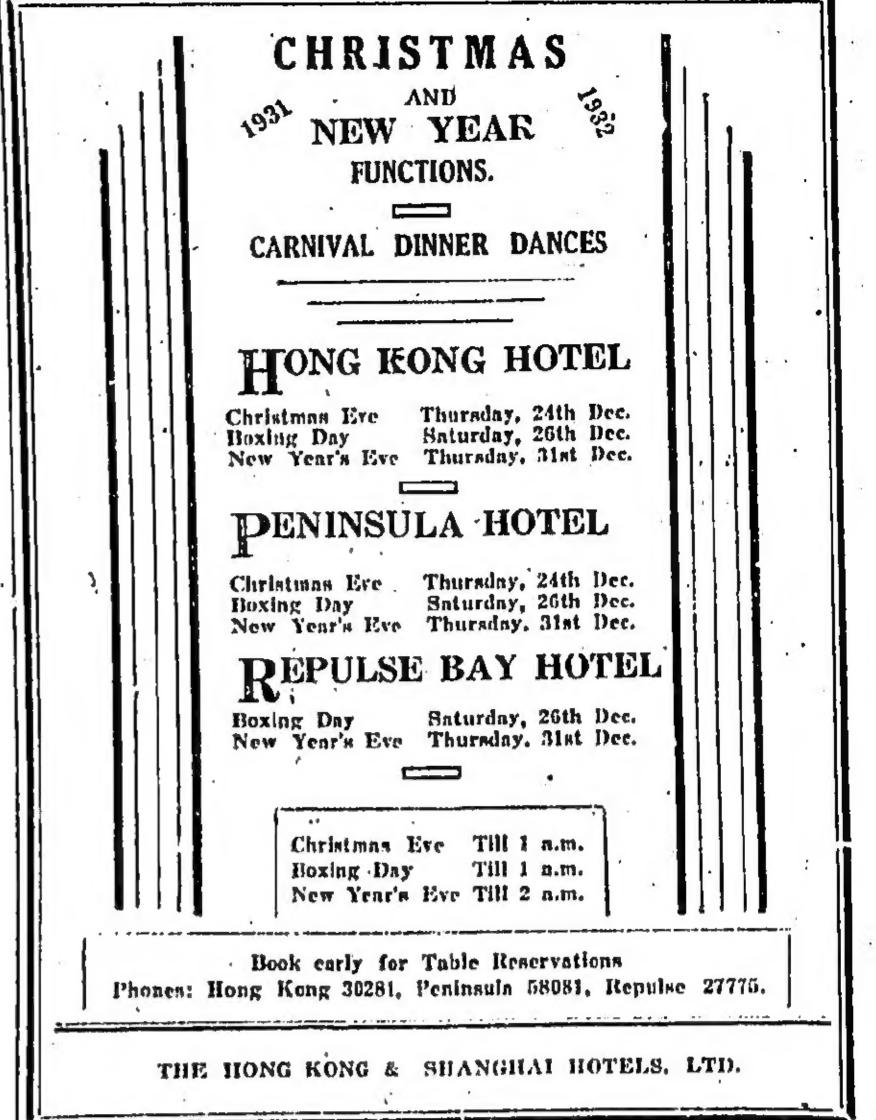
The cost of the Beacon Hill tunnel was placed at not less than a third of the total cost of the Railway, which was three million dollars.

After this joyous occasion, work in connection with the opening-out operation was proceeded with and then followed the bricking-up and the laying of the permanent way. The Last Brick Laid.'

The arduous work accomplished, no time was lost in getting on with the construction. Gangs of mon were employed on different work and in different sections. Nine months later, His Excellency, Sir Frederick Lugard laid the last brick in the tunnel at an informal ceremony, attended by a few members; of the Legislative Council and the Railway staff.

In the construction of the four minor tunnels little difficulty was experienced except with the one at Taipp. There extra expense was incurred on account of heavy landslides in the vicinity owing to alushy clay. Cortain portions of the work was contracted out to Mossrs.

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HONG KONG.

Capital and Surplus over H.\$ 8,000,000.00

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Bangkok via Swatow Kalgan 8.30 a.m.

U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San

Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London,

MONDAY,

London (Parcels only, London, Nov. 5) Hector

INWARD MAILS.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14.

OUTWARD MAILS.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18.

Sirdhana

Hikawa Maru

Kwansai Maru' . . . 10.30 a.m.

Parcels Dec. 14, Noon. Letters p.m.

Hydrangen 8 p.m.

Chinhun 3.80 p.m.

(Due Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 4.)

Chung Kong 5 p.m.

Registration .Dec. 14, 4.15 p.m. Letters p.m.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business

Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts in local and for-

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OFFICE NOTICE.

Chief Manager.

AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY. COMMERCE & FINANCE Head Office: 65, Broadway,

SHARE MARKET.

Weekly Reports by Brokers.

G. A. HARRIMAN.

. Hong Kong, Dec. 11. G. A. Harriman's weekly share report and market review issued at noon, states:-

The market continued on the dull side during the week under review owing to the uncertainty of exchange and with rumours of Japan going off the Gold standard the market is hwaiting developments. There was very little business done in the speculative section except for a few China Lights at \$28.10 for each and \$28.60 January Cements at \$19.30 December. The Investment section was absolutely lifeless. In the sterling section a few Unions changed hands at with sellers - at \$1.50. Benguets \$425, 432, and Banks \$1,525/50, are nominal at \$10.50. Although the tone of the market is

and more shares could be had at Old shares. The New shares are Asias were on offer at \$128, buyers are neglected at \$29 nominal. offering only \$125.

\$5.00/5.10.

ing been neglected for come time, have buyers at \$18.00. The New were sought for at \$22. Hong shares were done at \$17.75. Kong "Steamboats, though quiet... could be placed at \$24.

\$42, but very few if any sellers. Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharves im- Taels 90.00; proved slightly with buyers at \$153. shares and \$2.45 for the new.

over at rates between \$15.10.40, Electrics have buyers at \$78.25. the market closing firm with buyers Hong Kong Telephones are wanted evening for Manila. at \$15. Hong Kong Lands remain- at \$26.00. ed stendy at around \$80, buyers prevailing at this figure. Humphreys in demand at \$5.75. Cements have (old) were in great demand at \$18.10, but very few shares were \$19.40, sales taking place at at \$12.10/15, closing in demand at buyers at \$16.50. Dairy Farms are Leigh and Orange, Architects of

Ewo Cottons suffered a decline, and buyers of the Old shares at \$6.50, tham Road and also the construcat the close shares were on offer the New shares being sellers at tion of a small tunnel. at \$15 60, sales having been effect \$6.25. Watsons have eased off and at . \$15.80/16.10.

Trams remained very steady at demand and price has advanced to \$21,25 with buyers prevailing, \$17,40 for the Old shares and \$16.75 Star Ferries continued firm at for the New. \$951/2 with shares hard to obtain. China Lights improved slightly with shares changing hands at Shanghai 75. \$27.80/28.20. Electrics were on demand at \$78 with sellers asking 50 cents more. Telephones (P.P.)

could be obtained at \$261/2. Miscellaneous.—Cements (Comb.) were put through in quantity at \$19/19.30 and were on offer at the lose at the latter figure. Hong Kong Ropes were rather quiet at quotations. Dairy Farms showed some strength and were sought for at \$29.25. Watsons cased off a ports for the week ended Decem-Christmas and New Year cards bearing not more than five little and shares were obtainable her 5, issued by the Director written words and enclosed in open envelopes are accepted by the at \$161/2. Lane Crawfords were Medical and Sanitary Services, mandeered time after time by Post Office at the rate for printed matter, i.e., 4 cents per 2 ounces, more or less neglected and met with no demand. Sinceres could fetch buyers at \$15.60. Amuse-Information has been received that the Air Mail Service between ments could be placed at \$20. En-Shanghai and Manchouli is suspended and the acceptance of letters tertainments advanced to \$17 buyers. Constructions (new) were realised at \$1.80/.90 and shares could be had at \$1.85 towards the

Next Settlement Day .- Decem-

CARROLL BROS.

- Hong Kong, Friday, Dec. 11. The market during the week under review has been quite stendy and fair business has been done in nearly all the popular speculative

counters. Practically all stocks in the investment section have received attention, especially Unions and latterly Banks have been more in the Stock Exchange yesterday demand.

Ewo Cottons have been a firm market but at the close are easier this morning with prices maintaindue no doubt to the outbreak of fur- ed. ther trouble in the North.

Banks :-- Hong Kong Banks have buyers at \$1,515.00. Bank of East Asia are nominal at \$129.50. Insurances:-Unions have been done at \$430 and there are further

buyers at this price. Underwriters have buyers at \$5.00 with sales at \$5.10. Canton Insurances are wanted at \$1,300 as also are Hong Kong Fires at the same price. China Fires have buyers at \$500.00. Shipping:-Douglases are inquir-

ed for at \$20.50. All other stocks in this section are nominal. Mining:-Raubs have buyers at \$42. Goldfields are wanted at \$1.25 cent. premium.

Docks, Wharves and Godowns:fairly steady it closes dull in all Kowloon Wharves are wanted at \$153. China Providents have chang-Banks .- Hong Kong & Shanghai ed handa at \$5.25 and there are Banks were negotiated at \$1,525, 50 more buyers at this figure for the the former rate. Bank of East nominal at \$2.50. Kowloon Docks

Lands Hotels and Buildings;— Insurances .- Canton Fires as well Hong Kong Hotels Old shares have as Hong Kong Fires were neglect- buyers at \$15,00. Hong Kong. ed. Unions had enquiries at \$430, Lands changed hands at \$80/801/2 after sales at \$425-32. China and there are further buyers at Underwriters changed hands at \$80.50. Hong Kong Realtys are wanted at \$12.00 with sellers at Shipping .- Douglases, after hav- \$12.50. Humphreys Old shares

Cottons:—Ewo Cottons after being firm in the early part of the Mining .- Raubs were wanted at week are now easier at Taels 15.90 sellers. Shanghai Cottons havel, Docks, Wharves and Godowns .- buyers at Taels 85.00 and sellers at

mained very steady with business ness done at \$21.20/40. Peak Trams done at \$5.25 to \$5.30 for the old Old shares are inquired for at \$15.00. Star Ferries have buyers 8 (Tue.) at 7 a.m., leaves Vancou-Hotels and Real Estate .- Hong at \$95.50. China Lights have Im-Kong & Shanghai Hotels (old) were proved to \$28.25 buyers with sellers Hong Kong on Jan. 11 (Mon.), and the medium of a fairly large turn-jasking 25 cents more. Hong Kong leaves Hong Kong the same

Miscellaneous: - Canton Ices are buyers at \$19.30 and sellers at Realties changed hands \$19.20/35. Hong Kong Ropes have . wanted at \$29.00, business done at Hong Kong. This company was Cotton Mills.—Owing to the \$29.15. Amusements are nominal responsible for the reclamation of political situation in the North at \$22.00. Lane Crawfords have 41 acres of foreshore along Chaare now nominal at \$16.75. China Public Utilities. - Hong Kong Entertainments have been in good

> Exchange:—Rate of Exchange today on London T.T. is 1/51/2 and on

Forward Settlement Days: -- December 22, 1931 and January 26,

EASTERN PORTS. Details of Epidemic Diseases.

The health bulletin of Eastern gives the following cases:--

Plague. Alexandria: 1 case. Port Said: 2 cases. Cholera.

Bombay: 1 death. Calcutta: 11 cases, 6 deaths. Colombo: 1 case, 1 death. Canton: 3 cases. Small-pox. Bagdad: 4 cases, 2 deaths.

Calcutta: I case, 1 death. Karachi: 4 cases. Madras: 2 cases. Rangoon: '2 cases, 1 death. Saigon: 7 cases, 3 deaths. Amoy: 11 cases, 7 deaths. Canton: 2 cases. Shanghai: 20 cases, 8 deaths.

PRICES MAINTAINED.

The official summary issued by The market opened fairly steady

Sales. Hotels (old), \$15. Watsons, \$16½/\$16.60. Buyers Douglases, \$221/2. Raubs, \$42. Providents (old), \$5.15. Providents (new), \$2.35. Lands, \$801/2. Realties, \$12.05. Ewos, Tls. 151/2. Peak Trams (old), \$15.15. Peak Trams (new), \$634. Electrics, \$78. Canton Ices. \$6. Dairy Farms, \$29. H.G. Government Loan, \$21/4 per

Shanghai Explorations, Tle. 2.40. Wharves, \$1531/2. Hotels (old), \$15. Hotels (new), \$14.60. Chinese Estates, \$95. Trams, \$21.20. Star Ferries, \$951/2. China Lights, \$28. Telephones (Fully Paid), \$43. Cements (combined), \$19.10, Watsons, \$16.40.

Sellers. Hotels (old), \$15.10. China Lights, \$281/21 Telephones (prt paid), \$261/4. Lands, \$811/2. Venezueland Goldfields, \$2. S.C. Enterprises, \$10.

STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS

The C.P.S. R.M.S. Empress of Japan left Vancouver for Hong Kong, via Japan ports and Shanghai, on December 5, and is due here Public Utilities: - Hong Kong on December 25. She will sail for sellers asking \$155. Providents re- Trams are wanted at \$21.20, basi- Manila on December 26 at 5 p.m. The C.P.S. R.M.S. Empress of

Asia arrived at Vancouver on Dec. ver on Dec. 19 (Sat.), is due at

THE CULMINATION OF A GRAND ENGINEERING FEAT.

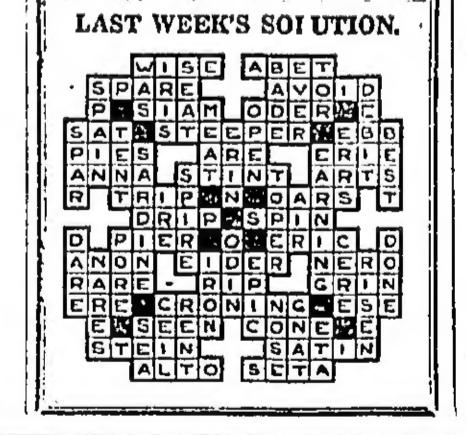
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The First Train.

The British section was completed in 1910, and on October 1 of that year, the first train was run along the line by Sir Henry May, K.C.M.G., who had succeeded Sir Frederick Lugard. It was a red letter day in the history of the Colony, and practically the entire community was present at the function.

The Chinese section was not open until a year later. October 1911. This section unfortunately has a history of its own. A month after the official opening, the Viceroy ordered its suspension for some reasons which were not clear to the public at the time.

On November 28, the line was opened again, and since which date of the trains and line have been comrival Chinese warlords. [The End]



HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE HIGHEST AND LOWEST QUOTATIONS

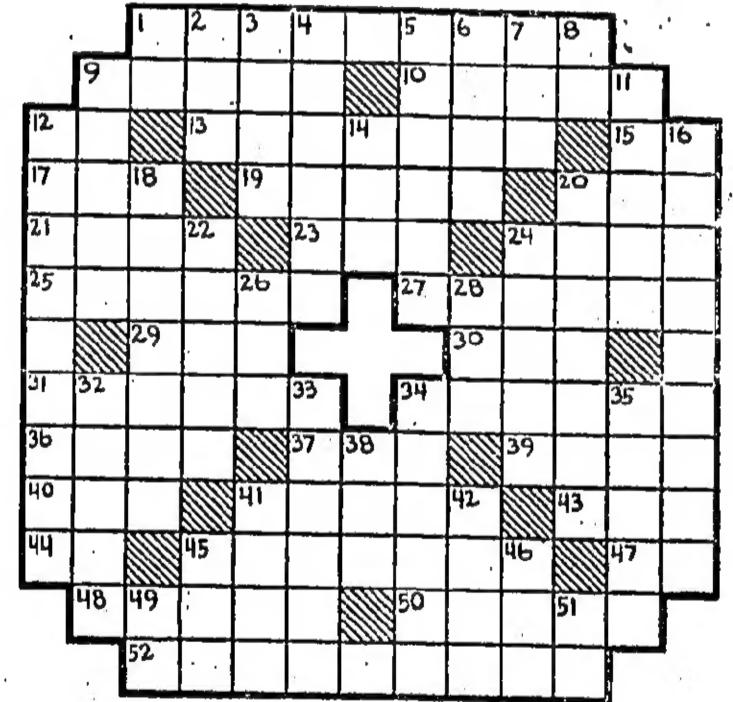
DURING OCTOBER, 1931. (Figures from Ellis & Edgar Monthly-booklet)

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Hong Kong Bank	1700-1550	1025-1580	1050-1500	1695-1550
Bank of East Asia	134	184	184	184
Canton Insurance	,	204	1500 ./	1500
Union Insurance	455-400	400-420	1000	460-420
China Underwriters	4.95_414	5.35-434	5%-5%	
China Fire Insurance	0,00	****	650	514-4.60
H.K. Fire Insurance		• • • •		800650
Douglases		25-24	1486_1450	1485_1450
H.K. Steamboats		****	24-2214	25-24
Indo-China-(Prof.)	****		27-25%	2725%
do. (Def.)		• • • • •	****	40-35
Union Waterboats			****	30—17
H.K. & K. Wharves			****	28
H.K. & W. Docks		155150	****	154
China Providents (Old)		80	****	30
do. (New)	9.00-4.00	5.70-4%	ნ.90ნ	5.60
H.K. & S. Hotels (Old)	15.05.108	2.60-2.35	2.45-2.40	2.602.85
		15.65-13 %	16-14	16
H.K. Lands	15-131/4	15.15-131/4	15	14%-13%
Humphreys (Old)	101/ 10	8414-80	8080	84—82
do. (New)	10 72 18	10-1814	10%	20_1814
do. (New) H.K. Realties	14 10 10	1814-18	4000	10%-17%
		13.90-12.60		13.90-1334
H.K. Tramways		2214-1914		21-20,85
Peak Trams (Old)		****	••••	14%
		****		0.85
Star Ferries		92-89	D2D3	95—91
H.K. Electrics		7814-7514	80-771/2	* * * *
China Lights		2874-2714		20-271/2
Telephones		2014-27	2014-2614	30-20
do. (fully paid)		433443	****	4314-43
Canton Ices c/d	1	••••	••••	7.90
dox/d			7.70-0.90	7.70-71/4
Cements (Combined)	2014-1814	2034-18.10	2014-18.60	19—18%
do: (Old)	****	****	****	13%
do. (New)		****		G
H.K. Ropes		1816	****	17%-17%
Dairy Farm		301/4-281/4	3228	8128 14
Watsons		16151/4	****	17-154
Lane, Crawford, Ltd. (Old)		0%—0	••••	0.60—6
do. (New)		ឲ្យ		G5 %
Wm. Powell, Ltd.	****	****	****	3.60
H.K. Amusements	24%-2254	22 1/2	27	2414-2214
H.K. Constructions (old)	1 . '	5.05-454	5	5-3.85
		11/4-1	1.80-1.40	1.80-1
Raubs	35.60-341/4	3834 1/4	****	38371/4
Ewo Cottons T.		17-151/4	16%-16.30	17
	6360		****	9590
Zoong, Sings c/d T.	. 2	13%_13%	**** 5	18 11
do x/d T.	7 1	13-121/2		••••
Langkats T	4644		1115	4.95
New Engineerings T.	• • • •		,****	6.20
Shanghai Docks T.	••••	••••		108
	l	!		10.19
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Exchange (T.T.): London 1/3-1/13/4; Shanghai 781/4-761/4.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but , our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



HORIZONTAL HORIZONTAL (Cont.) 1-Perplexes 40-Parent 9-in anatomy, a line 41-Charge 10-Homes of beasts 43-Bishop's jurisdiction 10-Abashed 12-Prefix. Again 13-Narrow water развидов 15-Регіх. То 45-Save 17-Girl's name (abbr.) 19-Locations 20-Prefix. Thrice 21-State of disorder 23-Bog 24-Huge serpent (pl.) 25-Stead 27-Trivial 29-American 3-Hardens Philological 4-Tax Association (abbr.) 30-Incite 31-Steel plating (pl.)

34-Taken without

39-To look after

37-Haul

permission

36-Paetic form of never

President of U. S. 22-Taste 47-Doctors title 48-To talk (stang) 50-Funeral ode 52-Lines of intitude VERTICAL 1-Profix double 2-Office holders 5-Those of foreign 6-Felines

7-it is (Contr.)

9-Embankment

11-Feminine name

12-Famous painter

8-The elder (abbr.)

VERTICAL (Cont.) 14-Consumed 16-Swalten 44-Initials of a former |20-Small wooden pins 24-Narrow-minded person 26-Etruscan household 28-Allow 32-Erects 33-Feminine name meaning star 34-Rotating link in a chain . 35-Foe 38-Japanese sach 41-Ruminant 42-Prefix, at a distance: 45-Prefix, across

46-Relative (abbr.)

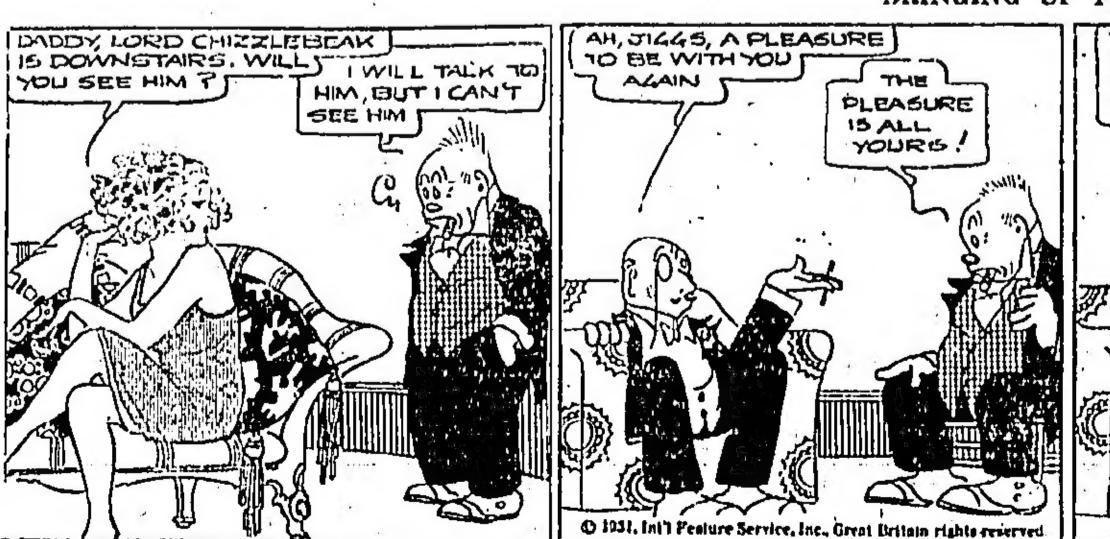
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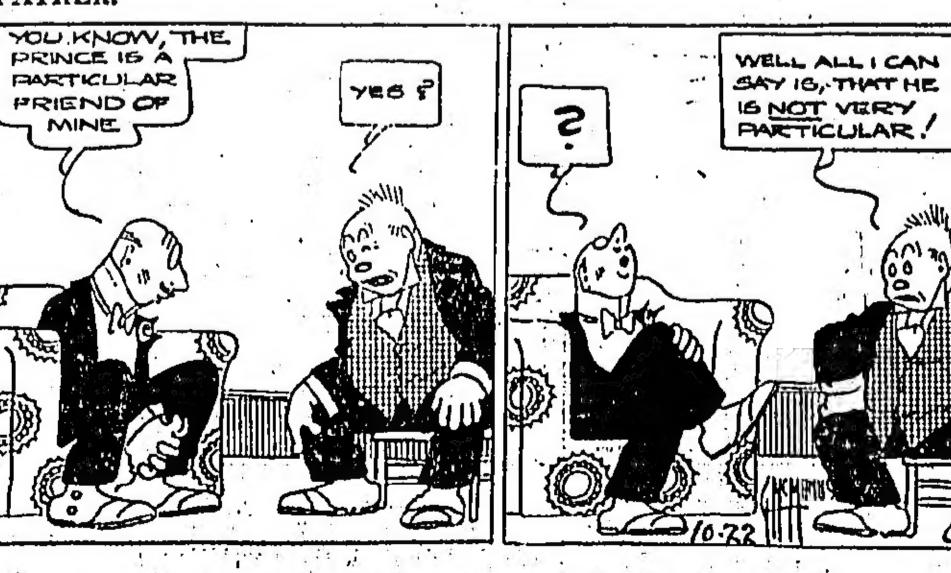
49-Past participle

(abbr.)

(abbr.)

BRINGING UP FATHER.





*Superscribed correspondence only

Formosa Straits and Calcutta

Swatow

Japan and "Canada via Vancouver,

B.C.

D.J.N. ANDERSON HITS THE ONLY CENTURY OF THE DAY

CRAIGENGOWER MATCH THIRD

MATCHES

SCORING SUCCEEDS. RAINS.

RODRIGUES

H.K.U.U. League II. CRAIGENGOWER'S THIRD A. T. Lee, h Evens SUCCESSIVE WIN: Iranoc and Sourbutta. H. Nomanbhoy, E. L. Gosano, A. Baker, P. Zitninern, P. M. N. da Hilve, A. T. Nomanthey

C.S.C.C.

Harriw. L Anderson

RESULTS AT A GLANCE.

Friendlies.

The following were the best

batting and bowling performances

a achieved in yesterday's League

2ND DIVISION.

Batting.

Cpl. Mechan (II.E. & Il. Sign) B for 13

Li. Austruther (R.P. & R. Sign) 4 for 41

"FRIENDLIES."

Batting.

E. C. Fincher (K.C.C. 1st)

t. R. Kermant (L.H.O. 1-t)

N. Humjahn (I.R.C. 2nd) Wood (C.S.C.C. 1at)

M. of Arculli (I.R.O. 141) 8 for

D. J. N. Anderson (H.K.D.U. 1811 3 for 12 11. D. Bumjahn (1.11.C. lat) 3 for 16

A. A. Rumjahn (I.R.C. 2nd) 4 for 23

2ND DIVISION.

Batting Averages.

The qualification for the above

Bowling Averages.

11. B. Iranos (C.C.C.) 85 11 .98 13 7.76

Cpt, Machan (B.R. & R.R.) ... 47,5 8 107 16 10.44

The qualification for the above

table is 20 overs and an average of

LEAGUE TABLE.

of over 20 runs per innings.

4. M. Humishn (1.B.C.) ... 23

liong Kong C.C. ...

R. A. J. Simpson did not bet. Bewiene Anteres.

ROYAL NAVY BRITTLED

Indian R.C. Victory.

OUT FOR 90.

II. bourtuite (C.C.C.)

University v. C.S.C.C. (1st)...Pokfularu I.R.C. v. Racraio (2nd)1.11.C. Genund

Wood, e Oneann, h Bide

D. Evans, o Lee, h (lesano

At Happy Valley the R.E. & D. Hunt did not bat. R.C.S. were defeated by the Craigengower C.C. by 5 wickets, thereby gaining their third successive limites victory. Going in first, the Royal Signals Maclowsa

could do little against the bowling | trems off. Irance and Sourbutts, Lieut. Anstruther and Lieut. Ewbanks being the only batsmen to reach a. R. Rayre, c Ride, b A. T. Komanishoy ... double figures. The rest of the T. E. Blebarden, at Zimmers, b Bide team failed miserably, and were it. finally dismissed for 54 runs.

With such an easy task before J. P. MacGowan, c Zimmern, h Gosano them, the home side found little C. H. G. Bradley, not out difficulty in passing this total for the loss of five wickets. With the game already won, the rest of the team were sent in to have a knock, with the result that some free hitting was witnessed. R. C. Reed batted in fine style to top the scoring with 31 runs not out, while S. Abbas was seen to advantage in scoring 29.

For the Royal Signals, Anstru-R. P. & B. v. C. C. C. Happy Vallay ther and Mechan returned the good figure of 4 for 41 and 3 for 13 It. Navy v. 1.It.C. (lat) ... King's Park respectively:

Royal Engineers.

tiem, Williams, e Leonard, b Iranea Hpr. Holman, b Southutta Col. Skinner, o N. Ritchell, b leature amount and friendly matches:-IA. Analysider, c A. Kitchell, b courbatta ... T.t. Col. Burnden, c W. Hood, b sourlotts ... Col. Saupdets, o & h Way H. C. Jordan, & A. Kitchell L/Cpl. Higgins, r Loonard, b Way Pall of the wickets:-1 for 4, 2 for 4, B me 7, 4 for 11, 5 for 16, 6 for 17, 7 for 37, 8 for 101 9 for 49, 10 for 54.

Cralgengower C.C.

"Reed, e Jordan, h Anstruther R. Lee, I.b.w., Williams Ritchell, o Skinner, b Anatruthee Ritchell, e Higgins, ly Meenan Abbas, o Embank, h Mechan Iranes, c & le Skinner Fall of the wickets:-- | for 4, 2 for 17, 2 for 17, 4 for 17, 5 for 56, 5 for 56, 1 for 48, 8 for 71, 9 for 110, 10 for 110. HOWITHN ANALTHIN.

Friendly Matches. SENIOR DIVISION.

FAST BOWLER HITS 32 FOR H.K.C.C.

Both Teams Score 94.

On the H.K.C.C. ground the C. F. Alexander (Police) ... 4 76 85 1 Hong Kong C.C. played a drawn Cot. Skinner (R.E. & H.S.)... 6 125 64 6 90.83 game with the Kowloon C.C. both Capt. C. M. Wales (S.W.H.) 5 102 59 6 20.60 sides scoring 94 runs. table is 3 innings and an average

H.K.C.C.

H. J. Armstrong, b S. F. Pincher E. J. B. Mitchell, c E., C. Pincher, b H. Owen-Hughes, e R. C. Pincher, b R. P. Divels, l.b.w., b E. P. Pincher Bawker, b Goodwin Harbord; b E. P. Pincher Mireliouse, b E. P. Pincher

13 W. H. Edmonde (C.S.C.C.) 21 4 75 6 12.50 B. G. Tisker (Police) B5 5 104 B 13.00 91 Rig. Williams (R.H. & R.H.) 55 14 182 12 13.50 LA. Anatouther (R.E. & B.H.) 63 16 196 13 14.48 Pall of the wickets:-1 for 11, 2 for 11, 8 for 57, 4 for 87, 8 for 87 6 for 88, 7 for 88, 8 for 94, Of or 92, 10 for 91.

Downers Analysis. o. u. n. w under 15 runs per wicket.

" R. C. C.

F. P. Pincher, b Mirohouse F. Elmmern, b Duckitt N. A. E. Machay, o Wool, b Owen-Hughes

J. C. Lyaf, A. Laughton, H. A. Gregory, G. Fall of the wickets -1 for 8, 2 for 83, 2 for 51, 4 for 71, 8 for 91. DOWLING ANALTERS.

D. J. N. ANDERSON SCORES 110 NOT OUT.

Civil Servants Draw.

At King's Park the Royal Navy At Pokfulam the Civil Service lost to the Indian R.C. by C.C. draw with the University.

IA. Hilletnau, b Maday and mercen succession Mid. Healop, at, Kermani, b Madar A. Crabitee, b Arrull Fall of the wickets;-1 for 5, 2 for 55, 8 54, 4 for m, 8 for 00, 6 for 60, 7 for 80, 8 for auspices:-90, 9 for 90, 10 for 90,

K. Minu, at. Murson, b Navy Harms, h Haselfoot Arculli, b Haselfoot A. Curreem, not out Extras (b P, 1b 4, wide 1)

Fall of the wirkets :- 1 for 9, 2 for 56, 56, 4 for A5, 5 for 98, 6 for 93, 7 for 101. Bowling Analysis.

RECREIO FORCE A DRAW AT SOOKUNPOO.

Rumjahns Prominent.

A friendly game between the Joan (A. H. Chambers) -Indian R.C. and the Club de Recreio on the former's ground resulted in a draw.

I.R.C.

M. P. Madar, c Carvalho, h Remedia A. S. Suffial, c Noronha, b Carvalho 20 A. R. Abban, e Nicomba, h Carvalho M. Rumjahn, c Prats, b Remedies 30 Istaall, run out A. Rumiahn, not out

95, 4 for at & for 03, 6 for 99, 7 for 116, 8 for (116, f) for 150. Haweling Analysis,

Extras (h 8, whe 1)

A. P. Perelra Recrelo. A. A. Noronha, b Mader P. J. Remediot, o Mader, b A. A. Rumjahn 14 A. Pests, & A. A. Humjahn II. M. Xavier, b Madar A. P. Pereles, st. A. R. Abbar, b A. A.

E. P. Finches (K.C.C.C. 1st) & for 12

YACHTING.

Norena Wins "H" Class Race. ARGULLA II. SECOND.

The following are the results of the sailing races yesterday under Royal Hong Kong 'Yacht Club's Course:-(1) Lyemun Beacon, P. w. (2) Rumsey Shoal, S; (3) Channel

Rocks, S. Distance: 8.65 miles. Norena (J. R. L. Stanton) 1 '9 Rolln (A. Rollin) 4 Slakin (A. V. Harvey) . 5 Diana (Maj. W. Bingham) 3 Argulla II. (II. J. Pearce) 2 Dorothen (Mr. Naess) . . 6 Colleen (S. Odland) 7 "I" & "Y" Class.

Daphne (Lt.-Col. W. N. Stokes) 4 Ailsa (Capt. Lochner) .. 3 Jessamine (Pny-Lt. Petre, R.N.) 9 Why Wonder (Capt. C. C. Fowkes) 7 2 20 o Wings (Capt. T. A. Malone) 6 Bluejacket (H. S. Rouse) 8 Boojum (G. Pickering) . 1 10 Speedwell (Maj. P. S.

Walker) 2 8 16 "G" Class. Zephyr (Mr. Gandy) .. -Lola (R. Grieve) 1 Wendy (M. I. De Ville) 3 Eunice (Capt. W. C. Rose) 2 * Did not finish.

Stewart) 5

Adanae (Comdr. A. H.

NEW RUGBY CLUB'S RESULTS.

Satisfactory Debut on Paper.

18 PTS. TO 41.

That the newly-formed Kowloon Total (for a wickets) 150 Rugby Club though winning But into touch. Fall of the wickets:- 1 for 32, 2 for 51, 5 for one match out of eight have not allowed the opposition to score more than nine points in a simple match. Victories of course count the most and no matter what one is defeated by in the way of points It is stamped as a defeat, but there is such a thing as an even game with little to choose between o the two fifteens. This has been the case with every fixture played by Kowloon and their record on n paper must be quite satisfactory in the eyes of the officials of the

> played Kowloon have fared as "| follows:--v. "A" Co. S.W.B. (h) ..0—6 v. H.M.S. Hermes (h) ...0-0

NAVY TRIUMPHS AT RUGBY FOOTBALL

CLUB DEFEATED AT THE VALLEY.

Fierce Forward Rushes Spell Victory.

AFTER TWO DRAWS...

[By "Touch Judge."]

afternoon when they defeated the Club by a goal and a try. (8 points) to nothing.

the majority of the game they 8 points to nil at the interval. were defending.

Navy Get the Ball.

the scrum their three-quarters useful kicking. He had little was missed in the pack. Lt. saw little of the ball and when difficulty in stopping Lockley on Keith Murray and Lt. Grayham they did, bad handling gave them The Navy forwards were masters of the situation both in Po. Pts. Pts. | the tight and the loose and it was a forward who secured both the Navy scores.

Weak handling by their threequarters prevented the Navy from increasing their score, as they were a dangerous lot when on the move and got plenty of the ball.

The Run of Play. the Navy line but Gosling rethrees, looked promising and dash for the line but was bundled

Navy Forwards On Top. Free kicks for infringements to attack for the remainder of possessed a pair of half backs who successful, with good touch kick- points to their score. ing. The Navy forwards were now on top and were securing the when he missed a pass by get- defence. ting off the mark too soon.

Navy Score.

Securing the ball in midfield the Navy three-quarters carried play to the Club line. Fabrey, when challenged, passed inside M. W. Turner, L. G. Robertson, by Kilby sending him down on the and some clever handling result- S. J. H. Fox; R. H. Griffiths, wing at top speed to score in the ed in Hubback securing the J. A. R. Selby; F. R. Burch, W. E. far corner. None of the five tries v. Club "A" (h)0-5 touch down. Doggett kicked a Peers, R. Stilliard, G. C. Moutrie, were converted which was surprisv. Bank (a)8-6 goal through striking the up- J. H. McElney, G. C. Humphreys, ing, considering that two were v. H.M.S. Kent (h)6-9 | right. On the run of the play L. B. Smith, and D. McLellan.

the Navy fully deserved their KOWLOON OVERCOME score and it was only good defensive play which prevented Lockley from getting over later.

Club Rally. Good kicking and a splendid attack took the Club to the Navy line where Selby tried hard to worm his way round the blind side of the scrum to get over, but the Navy defence held out until the Club were awarded a The Navy gained a good vic- penalty. McLellan, kicking from

Navy Fonge Ahead. again looked dangerous and H.M.S. Kent by three tries (9 The Club gave their opponents secured their second try which pts.) to two tries (6 pts.), a good hard game but had to play was again obtained by Hubback though the score gives little insecond fiddle to a superior fifteen. who was up to take a return dication of the run of the play. Practically all the second half of mass to score in a good position. Club Defending.

Failing to secure the ball in line and Whitham relieved with quarter line, whilst S. Hardy little opportunity to be effective. player had only him to beat. and if it had not been for the

quarters, although presented the season. with glorious opportunities to add further to their score failed lessly throughout the game, to penetrate the Club defence. Lammert's Effort.

treat from the game. Although napping. a man short, the Navy continued In Evans and Dowden the Kent

Two Backs Steady. ball time and again. Francis at the Navy holding the advantage twice for the Kent but he could the base of the scrum gave his in every department with the have been instrumental in further three-quarters full scope to at- exception at full back where the scores had he passed more often. tack and his partner, Ryder, honours were about even. Both He gave the Kent the lead on both proved to be a good connecting Gosling and Whitham played an occasions, Keith Murray placed link, although there were times excellent game in the last line of Kowloon on level terms with his

> Result:— Navy 8 pts. ·Club·..... 0 pts.

Navy:--

Lt. Gosling; Sub-Lt. Lockley, Surg.-Lt. Feilding, Lt. Charsley, E.R.A. Fabrey; Lt. Ryder, Lt. T. S. D. Whitley, G. C. Burnett, Francis, Lt.-Comdr. Grick (cap- H. O. Davis, Lt. Keith Murray; tain), O.A. Spiers, Lt. Linton, D. F. Kilby, D. J. B. Crozier; A. A.B. Deakin, E.R.A. Doggett, Lt. Walters, Dr. J. E. H. Cogan, Hubback, Lt. Watson, and Lt. L. W. Tipple, J. Riddle, S. Mac-

Referee: Capt. Burnett.

BY THE KENT.

Outplayed in All Departments.

VISITORS' NARROW WIN.

[By "White Heather."]

-l-At King's Park yesterday the tory at the Valley yesterday a difficult angle, missed narrowly. Kowloon Rugby Club were again defeated by a narrow margin Shortly after this the Navy when they went down before

Though playing a weak fifteen the game saw them confined to Doggett was successful with the Kowloon cannot be excused their their own twenty-five, and for kick to give the Navy a lead of poor display. They were outplayed in all departments of the game. The absence of J. J. The whole of the second half | Ferguson and D. Black was very saw the Club defending their much in evidence in the threeseveral occasions, when this made welcome re-appearances At this point the Navy for- opportunism of the former Kowwards were getting the ball in loon would have been compelled every scrum but the three- to admit their biggest defeat of

The Kowloon side played list-. Keith Murray being the only prominent player worthy of spe-Eventually the Club three- cial mention. Riddell tried hard quarters secured possession, a to rally the pack but gained little good passing movement carried response. Outweighted in the From the kick-off the Club at- play into Naval territory, tight scrummages they were tacked and Selby carried play to Coming across from his own wing pushed off the ball time and Lammert received the ball from again and in the loose lost half lieved with a good kick to touch. Fox and looked like scoring but their effectiveness through in-- A movement by the Club a splendid tackle by Francis adequate backing up. The threeshattered the Club's hopes. Un- quarters received few opportuni-Lammert was conspicuous in a fortunately Francis was injured ties to achieve much and were and had to receive medical atten- weak in defence. A blind side tion which necessitated his re- movement always caught them

were numerous and Gosling was the game but did not add further could have carried all before them had they loosed the ball more often instead of attempting indivi-It was a rousing game with dual movements. Dowden scored first try and then Dowden got over lagain and Shepherd added a third try before Keith Murray again broke through to reduce the deficit. His first try was the best J. P. Whitham; G. P. Lammert, of the match, a good opening made

within easy range. Kowloon 6 points H.M.S. Kent 9 points Kowloon:-A. Easterbrook; inider, H. Brokenshire, G. G. Bonham, and Lt. Grayham.

NEXT SUNDAY AT KWANTI

Race No. 1 .- The Canberra Belle, Duke of Milan, Fanling Stag, Handicap.- A Steeplechase of 134 Joseph, Kirribilli, Mongolian Stag, Miles. For Australian Ponies. Top Movanagher, Montana, Patch, The Partridge, The Wind, and White Weight not to exceed 170 lb. bottom Heather. weight not to be less than 150 lb. Race No. 5-134 Miles.-The Sha Winner A Cup. 2nd Prize; \$75. Tau Kok Handicap Steeplechase.-3rd Prize; \$50. Entrance fee \$2. For China Ponies. Top weight not Ponies:-Caulfield, Fritz, Rose- to exceed 170 lb. bottom weight not drop, The Bustard, Thunderclap, to be less than 145 lb. Winner a and Wattle. Cup. 2nd Prize \$75, 3rd Prize \$50.

Race No. 2.—The "Volunteers" Entrance Fee \$2. Cup (Unofficial).-A Hurdle Race | Ponies:-As You Like It, Christof 1/4 Miles. For China Ponies cer- mas Frolic, Donnabella, Marquis tifled by the O. C. Machine Gun Hall, Movanagher, Patch, Rooslan, Troop" H.K.V.D.C. as "Regular" Royal Flush, Tom, and White Slave. Troop ponies. Winners in 1931 of A Flat Race of 1 Mile.-The any race (including unofficial Kwangsi Handicap.—For China races) barred. To be ridden by Ponics classified by the Hong Kong members of the Troop. Weight Jockey Club as "Di" and "D2" 168 lb. Winner A Cup. 2nd Prize Classes. To be ridden by Jockeys and 3rd Prize Souvenirs. Entrance who have not won 5 flat races anywhere at any time. Winner \$200.

Ponies:-Demurrer, Foxtrot, In- 2nd Prize \$125. 3rd Prize \$75. shallah, Loch Sloy, Mountain Rat, Entrance Fee \$5. Pin, Pink Pearl, Stumer, Waialcale, Ponies:-Bay of Bellingham II., and White Stars.

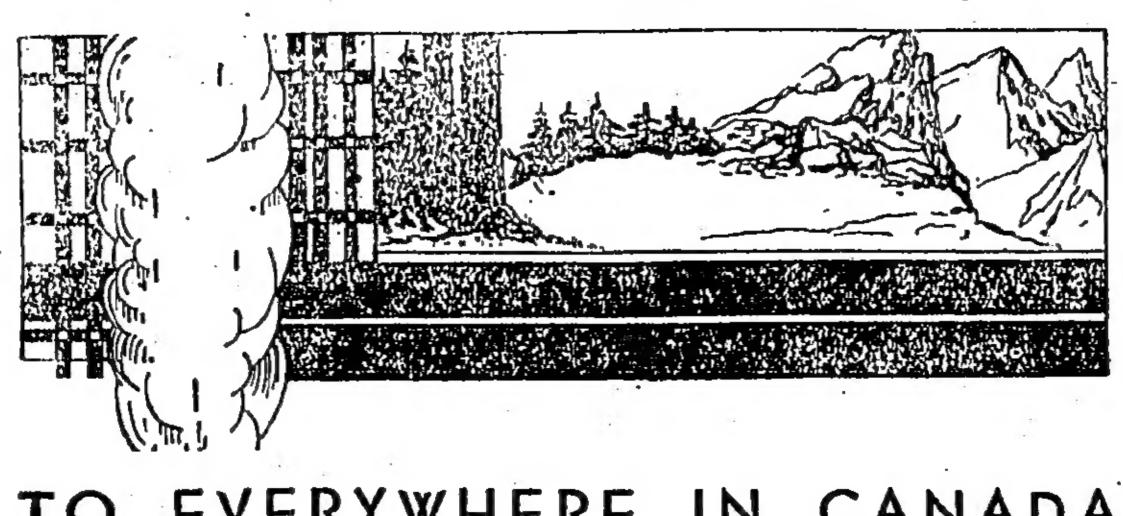
cap.-A Hurdle Race of 11/2 Miles. Stag, Groombridge, Hellotrope Leaf, For China Ponios. Winner A Cup. Kirribilli, Mascot, Movanagher, 2nd Prize \$75. 8rd Prize \$50. En- Noukhail, Pageda, Scrappit, Sonny, trance Fee \$2.

and White Heather.

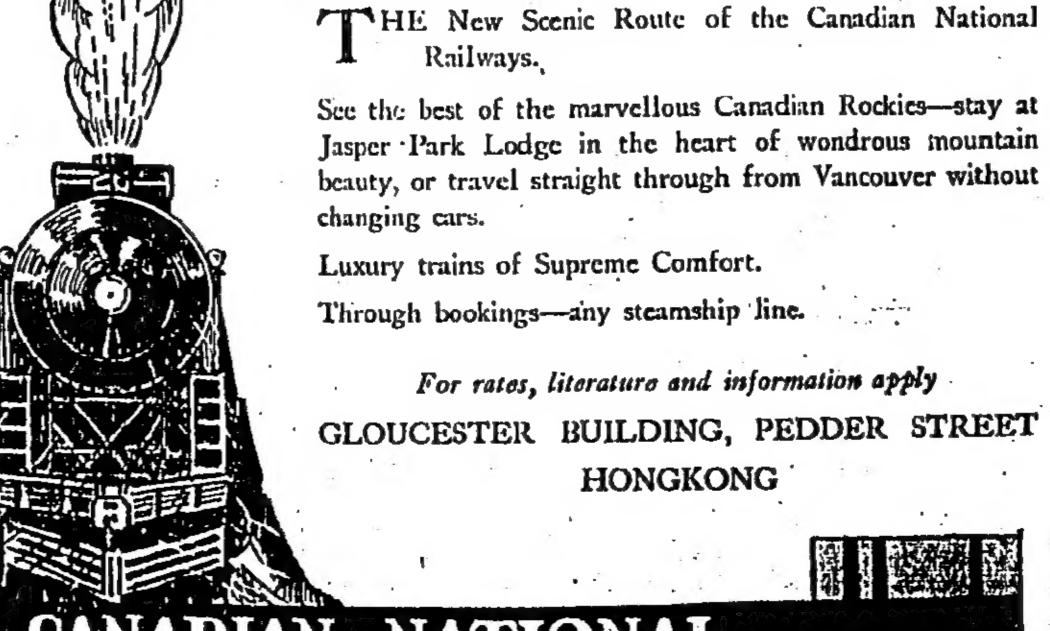
Bronze Eyes, Celerity, Choctow II, Race No. 3 .- St. Nicholas Handi- Country Club, Discord, Glorious

Boy, Sunning and Zephyr. Ponies:-Christmas Belle, Christ- A Flat Race of M Mile.-The mas Frolic, Diana, Donnabella, Kwang Tung Handicap.-For China Duke of Normandy. II., Montana, Ponies classified by the Hong Kong Piccalilli, Roeslan, The Gomeril, Jockey Club as "Cl" and "C2" The Wind, Tom, Young Pretender, Classes. Winner \$200. 2nd Prize \$125. 3rd Prize \$75. Entrance Fee

Raco No. 4. - The Christmas \$5. Steeplechase -- A Handicap Of 11/2 Ponies: -- Blue Boy, Blue Heaven, Miles. Ponies classified by the Bridge Hall, Britannic Hall, Bruns-Hong Kong Jockey club as "A" and wick Hall, Cloudy Eve, Cream "B" classes barred. Top weight Cracker, Diana, Duke of Milan. not to exceed 170 lb. bottom weight Edenbridge, Fifty Fifty, Fritillery, not to be less than 150 lb. Winner, Grey Dawn, Iron Blood, Mongolian A Cup. 2nd Prize \$75. 8rd \$50. Stag, Pacemaker, Shanghai Beau, Entrance Fee \$2. The Partridge, The Quali, The Ponies:-As You Like It, Blot- Wind, Thunderous Stag, and Tonting Paper, Bronze Eyes, Christmas bridge.



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HOWE'S "HAT TRICK" IN LAI WAH CUP GAME.

Nash, Peacock, Partington, and ed their best to keep up their un-

.Borderons : - Williams; Suter, the saw the Gunners worthy win-

OVERWHELMING VICTORY FOR CIVILIANS

ARGYLLS DEFEATED

CLUB JUNIORS DEFEAT UNIVERSITY.

WAR PATH R.A.F.

Division II.

CLUB WIN EVEN GAME

AT THE VALLEY.

Lai Wah Cup.

SPASMODIC RAIDS LEAD TO GOALS.

Civilians Flattered.

The Civilians defeated the Army by six clear goals on the Sookun-

poo enclosure yesterday, thus completing the double after previously being victorious against the Navy. A margin of six goals highly flattered the Civilians on the run of the play. No doubt had they been extended, the forwards could have given of their reserve to have won the match, but the defence went through an anxious time in keeping out the Army forwards for the majority of the game.

The game was a battle between the Civillans' defence and soldiers' forwards, punctuated by the smart raids of the Civilians' forwards during which periods they netted their half dozen goals.

The best of the Civilians' forwards was Segalen, whose clever midfield work gave Howe the chances that he never missed. Gosano on the right wing played a splendid game and found no difficulty in getting past Underwood. Howe, in the centre, rarely went for the ball or sent his wings away and owing to Hay hanging back, he was given more scope than there was need. The Civilians' wing halves were mainly responsible for the bottling up of the Army attack, Hedley being too good for Hughes on many occasions, whilst Bliss had no difficulty in keeping Harris in check. Strange was the heat back on view, the Army inside men found him a bitter pill and no matter how or what shots were sent | in the Club man was there to deal with them. His partner, Martin, was seen to advantage in the second half, when his bouts with either Lamont or Hughes enabled him to show his prowess in

tackling and clearing. A. V. Gosano was an absentee from the Civilians' front line, and his substitute, Leonard, did well enough, but Pile was sadly neglected, and had to forage for himself. Of the Army defenders, Morri-

son was the most prominent. He Navy ... 0 played a grand game. His tackling i ful to watch. Blackburn did not tween these two teams in midfield, R.A.O.C. 8 2 0 6 15 24 have a pleasant afternoon, being but the better finishing of the Borsomewhat shaky on several oc-derers' forwards decided the easions. Hay used his feet more issue. In the field the Navy put during the match than any match more polish in their methods, but Borderers ... 7 6 0 1 21 previously, but whilst his kicking when the ball was slung into the Recreio 6 5 0 1 was strong, his passes often went goalmouth they fell to pieces and St. Joseph's . 6 to an opponent's foot. Davis was wild shooting was the result. Bean ever source of danger to the sides missing easy scoring chances, Civillans' defence, but found like the Navy inside men were rewardhis colleagues, that he was up ed a penalty kick in each half, but against a sterling defence.

amongst which was Major-General who was entrusted with the second J. W. Sandilands, who saw the Army could do no better, his shot strik- 12th. Bty. ... 2 Argylls ... 1 early on the offensive. Lamont, ing the bar and being easily clearhowever, sent the ball over the bar ed. Harris proved a forceful nessed with the Gunners a trifle after Wyllie had sent it across, leader for the Borderers and it better than their opponents. A Hedley put in some fine work to get was only the eagle eye of Little high standard of play was uphis forwards on the move, and that thwarted the centre forward held throughout the game, the quick thrusts by either forwards in his endeavours to get through Gunners proving worthy winkicks were awarded, but none his passes, but was inclined to materialised. From Gosano's flag give the speedy Lakeman too much knew whom to look after. kick Howe showed his capabilities as a marksman when he sent in a first time shot well out of Hastics' Navy goal, found to be a constant reach. Hastie should have got to source of danger. ball to roll into the net. Howe com- ing down the field and on the the interval after a good pass from | was helping the Borderers a lot of speed on the wing.

through to notch the fourth goal. He was badly at fault on one oc-An Army defender had the misfor- casion when ballooning the ball tune to handle inside the penalt, over the bar from Hawes' centre area and McKelvie made no mistake when not a yard from the goalwith the spot kick to score the line. It was only the weak finish-Civillana' fifth, and Howe obtained ing of the Navy forwards that enthe sixth. The Army kept pegging abled the Borderers to cross over away in their endeavour to score with their goal intact. The Navy but their efforts were denied success were on the aggressive soon after

much flattered team.

Gosano, Segalen, Howe, Leonard, before the final whistle.

and Pile. Referee:--Mr. Darlington.

9 Civilians Lengue-Division II. 3 University 0 Borderers 12th Battery 2 Argylls 4 Kowloon R.A.O.C. Division III.

Club 3 University .. 2 On the Club ground the Club Civilians 6 kicked off, but the 'Varsity quickly transferred play to the Club end, where Fogwill was called upon to save from Ho. Immediately after, however, the Club goal was again in danger, this McCarthy (R.A.O.C.) time Fogwill having to step out Dolan (R.A.O.C.) and clear from Kho. The Club Neale (R.A.O.C.) retaliated, and forced a corner Simpson (Kowloon) Cotton (Kowloon) which was easily cleared. Nothing daunted, the Club came Reid (Club) again and forced another, which Duncan (Club) also proved fruitless. The 'Var-Bradbury (Club) sity forwards got going and for Scal (12th Battery) a time play hovered around the Woods (12th Battery) Club goal, the outcome resulting in Candah beating Fogwill with a well-placed shot, The 'Varsity were having most of the play, the Club defence having a gruelling time, Fogwill, however, stepped in and eased the situation. The Club broke away, but a good chance was spoiled by off-TO DATE. side. Reid, the Club centre-forward missed a couple of sitters, Second Division.

but the Club kept pressing and King (Argylls) equalised through Bradbury, Frearson (Bottery) after a melee in front of the Harris (Borderers) 'Varsity goal. The Club had now Walker (Battery) settled down and they had as More (Battery) much of the game as their op- Matthias (Borderers) Morris (Borderers) Commencing the second half Maxwell (Argylls) on level terms the Club took play Sands (R.A.O.C.) into the 'Varsity area, and Reid | Gough (Battery) gave the Club the lead. The Third Division. Guterres (Recrelo) Summers (R.A.F.) the field resulted in Tam equalis-Santos, F. (Recreio) The play was fairly even. Keamish (R.A.F.) and a draw would have been a Gomes (Recreio) better score, but just on time,

Morgan (Borderers)

Himbury (R.E.)

LEAGUE TABLES TO DATE.

Division II.

| Borderers | ... 9 7 0 2 31 15 14

Division III.

ARGYLLS SUSTAIN THEIR

FIRST DEFEAT.

time and again. The interval

nil lead.

saw the Gunners with a goal to

Duncan scored the winning goal, Elms (Radle) Club:-Fogwill: Railton and Morgan (R.E.) Soan; Hooper, Puncheon and Stoan (R.E.) Tavlin; Bradbury, Fowler, Reid, Gonsalves (Recreio) Duncan and Farroc.

'Varsity forwards were given

plenty of scope, and a run down

'Varsity:--Lam; Loh and Y. K. Ng; Wong, Reed and Bee; Yam, Candah, Ho, Kho and Wu.

WEAK FINISHING BY NAVY

FORWARDS. Borderers ... 2 There was nothing to choose be- Club Peacock punted the ball over tho A fair crowd witnessed the game bar with the first, whilst Nash

the Borderers got away to open

Mountfield; Walker, Beblington, mers. Court; Mathias, Morriss, Harris, KOWLOON GIVE R.A.O.C. A Lakemen and Mason. LONG-AWAITED VICTORY. Referce:-Mr. J. Lawrence. RESULTS AT A GLANCE. Lai Wah Cup Competition. St. Joseph's 1 R.A.F. GOAL SCORERS. The following were the goal scorers in yesterday's matches:-Howe (Civilians) 4
McKelvie (Civilians) 1

·Leonard (Civillans)
Division II. a goal to nil. . Candah (University) Tam (University) McQuade (Argylls) Harris (Borderers) sulted in them taking the lead, lar. Morriss (Borderers) McCarthy putting in a shot which Division III. Summers (R.A.F.) Reading (R.A.F.) Kenmish (R.A.F.) 3 LEADING MARKSMEN and a dangerous time, but managed sen.

Osborne. The Corps, however, were not disheartened, and kept pegging score through Dolan. Ordnance:-Osborne: Sands and Emery; Farquaar, Hamer Moran; Sansom, McCarthy, Ainslie, Dolan and Neale. Kowloon:-Angus: Nicholls and Eastman; Gilchrist, Whitfield and

Blake; White, Dominy, Simpson, Cotton and Bickford. Referee: Gunner Trice.

Division III.

to stave off their attacks. 'Kow-

loon, however, reduced the score, a

AIR FORCE FORWARDS RUN RIOT.

The greatly improved Air Force gleven were fir too strong for the P. W. D. L. F. A. Pto. Saints and ran out winners by the 9.52 | convincing margin of 11 goals to 1. | Summers opened the scoring in the 10.00 ... 10 first minute and after Omar, the Saints centre forward, had made an 10.16 attempt to get through, Keamish increased the Airmen's lead. Before 10.24 the interval the R.A.F. had netted 10.32 another three goals through Reading 10.40 P. W. D. I. F. A. Pts. (2) and Keamish. On the resump- 10.48 5 12 tion the Airmen, with the wind in 10.56 .. G. C. Leiper, E. Williams. 10 their favour, completely dominated 11.00 ... J. J. French, Mrs. French. the game and went further ahead etc., are vacant. Players can move through Reading (2) Keamish (1) up to earlier times, if any are vacant, 0 and Summers (3) whilst Omar ob- but should cancel times vacated. tained the Saints lone point.

Chinese League.

MR. WONG KWONG-TIN'S OFFICIAL OPENING.

South China "A" Win.

S. China "A"...2 Sung Ching...0 9.48 , E. des Voeux, A. O. Brawn. Owing to the dispute between the | 9.52 found the defences somewhat rattled on many occasions. Davey, the ners. The Argylls were inclined Hong Kong Football Association with the result that many corner other Navy back, was perfect with to be individualists with the re- and the Chinese Football clubs, the suit that the Gunners' defence Chinese decided to run a League for 10.04 The Chinese teams only. The opening 10.08 wing-men of both teams were matches took place to-day at Caro- 10.12 " the outstanding players, the line Hill. Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, Gunners left being the most dan- Chairman of the Chinese Chamber 10.20 gerous. The Gunners had hard of Commerce, declared the League 10.24 luck on two occasions, the right opened. The first game was be-Howe's second shot, but allowed the A fairly strong wind was blow- back of the Argylls nipping in tween South China's "A" team and and kicking the ball clear with Sung Ching, the former winning by 10.32 pleted his "hat trick" shortly before opening the Navy found that this the goalie well beaten. The two clear goals. The "A" team 10.36 Gunners, however, took the lead were far too good for their oppon- 10.40 Gosano who had shown a fine turn in their passing, but Davey and through their left wing, Moore ents, and play was mostly confined 10.44 his partner played splendidly to slipping a pass to Seal, whose shot to the Sung Ching area. Pau Kau- 10.48 The Army were making a great keep out the Borderers, and for beat the Argylls' goalkeeper all ping, opened the scoring for the 10.52 " effort to recover after the interval the majority of the period had the the way. The Argylls' inside "A" team. The defence of the but the Civilians' defenders inter- Borderers on the defensive. But trio were worrying the Gunners' Sung Ching team were very weak, 10.56 vened before any finishing touches Peacock, the Navy centre, was defence a lot, but they left their and their forwards were will in 11.00 "E. J. Dowley, J. B. Lanyon, defence a lot, but they left their and their forwards were will in 11.01 "B. D. Evans, R. W. Taplin. were applied, and Leonard went high with many of his attempts. shots until too, late. Frearson their shooting. The "A" team were 11.08 and Allen were playing a great on top throughout and Pau Kau- 11.12 game at back for the Gunners, plng put them further ahead. repelling the Argyll forwards

ERRATIC AND CARELESS SHOOTING.

In the second half, the S. China "B"...2 Yee Woo...1 Argylls put more, pep into their At Caroline Hill. From the kick- 11.30 play and gave the Gunners' de- off at the Caroline Hill ground the and the Civilians left the field a the resumption, but were held and fence a busy time. Forcing a "B" team took the play into the Yea strongly and before long scored the corner the Argylls brought the Woo half, the goal-keeper being equaliser, Leong Wing-tak netting. Army:-Hastie; Blackburn, Mor- the scoring when Court put Harris scores level, McQuado being the called upon to save a hot shot from The "B" team had most of the play. risson; Gordon, Hay, Underwood; through to beat Bines from close marksman. Even play was now the inside right. The Yee Woo and should have succeeded more Harris, Davis, Wyllie, Lamont, and in. The Borderers Had more of witnessed, both teams displaying goalkeeper was called upon time and often than the score indicates, but the same after this success and good football. The Gunners after again to save shots from all angles, shots went flying over the bar, due Civilians: - Rodger; Martin went further ahead through Mor- n long struggle took the lead, Yee Woo were the first to open the to lack of seriousness on the part Strange; Hedley, McKelvie, Bliss; ries, who scored a good goal just Woods, the right winger, being scoring, their outside left being of the forwards. The "B" team ran on the spot in the nick of time to fouled in the penalty area and out winners when Chock Fook-tso Navy:-Bines; Little, Davey; beat McFarlane with a low shot. Leong Chin-man converting the spot gave them the lead a few minutes Purkins, Baker, Hobbs; Hawes, Towards the end the Argylls tri- kick. The "B" team attacked before the final whistle.

KOWLOON GOLF

Annual Gymkhana and Prize Day.

NEXT SUNDAY.

Kowloon ... 2 The building of the new club . At Chatham Road the Ordnance house, out Rowloon City way, is Corps, after a long spell of defeats, now well in hand and is expected emerged victorious in their encount to be completed towards the end ter against Kowloon. Playing with of March. This will be a great 6 the advantage of the wind, the Ord- acquisition to this prosperous nance had Kowloon on the defen- little club and will be greatly ap-2 sive, but their shooting was erratic, preciated by all members who have 2 The Kowloon forwards made several the interests of the club at heart breakaways, but off-side robbed and who have put up with numer-2 them of any chances. The Ordnance ous inconveniences during the opened the scoring, Dolan sending last few years. The old club 11 across a centre to McCarthy, who house, however, has served its purheaded past Angus. The Ordnance pose and many pleasant hours kept up the attack and forced have been spent within its limited several corners, which Kowloon man- dimer sions. When the final arrangements aged to clear. The Kowloon forwards went near, but Dominy fam. for the new club house were com-

bled which enabled Sands to clear, pleted it was then decided to hold Play was fast and clean, both de- the Annual Gymkhana and Presenfences having plenty to do. Kowloon tation of Prizes on the opening forced a corner on the right, which day of the new pavilion. This de-White put behind. The interval ar- cision has now been changed and rived with the Ordnance leading by the Gymkhana and Prize giving will take place next Sunday, De-Resuming, the Ordnance attacked cember 20, when an interesting on the right, but the Kowloon backs programme of events which inmanaged to clear. The Kowloon clude Clock Golf, Ladder Golf. team was playing better than in the Pitching and Putting, and Long first half, and before long Simpson Driving, will be carried out. All brought the scores level. The Ord- these competitions are open to nance then got going and several members and friends and as in attacks on the Kowloon goal re- past years will again prove popu-

The Gymkhana will commence Angus just failed to save. The at 2.30 p.m. and the presentation: Ordnance were having most of the of prizes will take place about 6 play, and a solo effort by Neale, the p.m. Mrs. J. H. Hunt, wife of the left winger, resulted in the Corps President, has kindly consented to going further ahead. Kowloon went present the various trophies to the all out now and the Ordnance goal successful competitors of last sen-

A Tombstone competition has | been arranged for members, and curling shot from Cotton which will take place on the morning of dropped into the goal, deceiving the Gymkhana. Cards may be taken out between the hours of 8 a.m. and noon and players are reaway and finally increased their quested to arrange their ewn part-

The semi-final rounds of the club championship are due for decisions this week-end and should result in Dr. J. E. H. Cogan and F. C. Remedies contesting the final, but golf is so full of uncortainties that the predicted results may prove wrong.

GOLF STARTING TIMES.

The "Secretary of the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club supplies the following list 'of starting times for Fanling to-day:-New Course.

St. Joseph's 1 R.A.F. 11 9.28 a.m. Comdr. Priestley, R. H. ... Condr. Hole, G. W. Sewell. Mrs. B. Brown, Miss Coppin. ... C. B. Robertson, J. G. Mrs. C. W. E. Bishop, Mrs. R. M. Wood. B. Thomson, T. Grant, Miss A. G. Orme, Mrs. W. S. McKinley, C. H. Mrs. Danby, Mrs. Matthews. . G. T. May, H. P. Bailey.

> Times cannot be given to other players; nor can times be booked by Old Course. 9.30 a.m. F. J. de Rome, A. H. W. R. Vallance, O. E. C. 9.40 , I. W. Shewan, G. R. 9.44 , H. U. Ireland, A. E. " I. D. Lenox, P. S. Grant.

9.56 , W. C. Shields, C. E. Holmes. C. W. E. Bishop, R. M. Capt. Morgan, G. W. Reeve. C. W. E. Booker, C. Mycock. H. R. Sturt, J. . S. S. Perry, A. G. Coppin, A. D. Humphreys, A. B. C. B. Johnson, A. B. F. C. Young, R. C. Webb. A. Sommerfelt, R. C. Law. F. A. Redmond, J. Sturt. J. D. Danby, E. D. J. Coulthart, A. M. Parker. J. Mandracchia, W. G. C. Thwaltes, A. Weight.

> I. H. Geare, D. Forbes. " J. S. Dykes, H. Lowe. " H. Jophson, G. T. V. W. S. Hillier, J. MacKnight. " G. Castle, T. S. Whyte-N. S. Ellis, J. Gardner. T. R. Chassels, G. Thomer-

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GOLIATH, his companion in exile on an island in Lake Como, he sets | day at our Castle of Milano." about winning the towns on the buttles follow, victory resting i and discovers plans for the next and he stood pondering. Castellan of Musso.

-, for Paple.

' CHAPTER XVII. (continued).

Cabrio and Ghiberto and Giuseppe met him eagerly at the landing-place. All agil?" asked Gabrio anxious- p ly. For this hasty and unheralded visit might portend anything. "All Gary well!" said Gian, and his eyes glowed triumphantly though his face was imperturbable as ever. "I'am on my way to Musso to take possession .- with the Duke's orders in my pockaci."

"Dio! There seems to be a run of orders for Musso all of a midden, Baid, Gabrio. "How then?"

One sen brought over a man they found lying in the rond over there last night. He had ridden his horse till it foundered-the devil. And he also carried dispatches for Musso." "The Jevil he did!" jerked Gian.

"And where are they?" "We have them. We were considering how we should send them on. They hear the Duke's seal, so probably they are of importance." "Lat me see them," and they walk-

ed up to the house together. "Here's the Duke's despatch, Gian," said Gabrie, "If you're going on you could take it with you." And Cian took the scaled packet in his hand and stood looking at it. would have advised. He pulled out

his dagger and ripped the packet contents and then flushed so deep red that his face looked black. "The---lamnable--villain!" he . said

carnate thunderstorm than a man, long life and a prosperous career. The others crowded to read and gasp- [For myself, I shall be glad to return | a clinging clasp. And, so for a moed as they read. - The workly script ran:--

"To O r Faithful Lieutenaut,

Our orders to you are to selze the anid Glan Glacomo Medici and to put DOMENICA, who is to be given in him to instant and secret death, and marriage to an influential Count. | for any infraction of these orders we hold you personally responsible. Given under our hand and seal this It was signed and scaled

Sforza and countersigned by Morone. "The treacherous wretches." Gian deeply. "Gollath warned with Gian and Goliath. The Int- But I trusted them. . . . I would for tills a Frenchman in an inn | not have believed it possible . . .

French campaign. Glan takes! "Go right ahead, Glan," boomed Milan and later was appointed. Gluseppe. "Take us with you and all our men. Everything is quiet round POALO and GABRIO are twin here and we still hold all the boats. brushars. The former is in love We'll take Musso again if necessary. He and Guseppe connel all the and once inside, with our guns and GINEVRA, who shows her preference bombs we can hold it against Sforza and all the world." "Good! Get me food and get your

> men ready. How many can you muster?" "Eighty-all good men and used to the boats and guns. We've kept them

up to the mark." They were under way within the hour, eight long wight-pared galleys, mounting some of Giuseppe's most formidable guns at the bows, and carrying an ample supply of bombs. the first boat, in which were Glan and Giuseppe, carried a tall pole from which floated a red silk banner bearing the golden balls of the Medici of Florence. This was a work of art embroidered Margherita and Clarina to beguile the Lonly on himself. long days at Bellagio.

They had no valid claim to use it, but it had been an amasement to them and Gian adopted it without a word -right or no right.

Glovanni Visconti never understood why the Duke's letter was presented to him by such a formidable array. Gian, having taken aboard his own boat Ghiberto and Gabrio and Paolo, all, like himself, armed to the teeth. rowed boldly into the larbour of Musso and demanded audience of Visconti.

When the Castellan appeared, Gian En seed to ask him what Goliath or any undue knowledge on the part they saw. of the Governor or his people.

But Giovanni evidently knew nothing. When he had carefully perused the document be handed it back to Gian with a bow, snying: "I congratulate you, Signor.

but come into your own which you most valiantly won. I will wish you ling face and both her hands outto be found in these troublesome them. Gioganni Visconti, Governor of times . . . If you are prepared to at Castle of Musso, on Como, take charge at once I will hand things You are hereby advised that Gian over to you. My men will be glad (cheeks,

. and your men are Spaniards," deeply, "full to the brim."

It also removed them all from the we wish." Milan, and Gian's sole desire was for such freedom from outside interfer- waited long." tigh himself firmly in Musso.

Lake with Ghiberto in charge, he mean?" felt himself really Master of Musso. We also have waited long," said of her perfect malden leveliness, was for the bonts, but the Spaniards were have no wish to wait."

his way back, to inform the girls Signor Balbinello? Will be consent | Medici. Her father spent many years there of the course of events and pre- to losing Ginevra?" pure them for the change to Musso "He died fourteen days ago and us as he saw her. But she was bena soon as things there were suffi- Ginevra is alone up there with the youd even his best efforts, and he was ciently advanced. For, in doubt as old Pietra." to what action Sforza and Morone might trie, Gian was determined to after her," nodded Gian; "She is too there, grew steadily towards that make his position such as would fair a flower to bloom alone upon the which Gian and Giuseppe intended to cause them to think twice before mak- hillside, and Paolo is a very lucky make it. With their heads laid to-

ing any attempt to dislodge him. possibilities with extremest care, and planned additions to the defences on n vast scale, and they act to work on them at once. Ghiberto returned the next day with

a very cheerful face. "Ay! He has seen his Margherita," for the ladies. feeling anent the similar hopes that deed to remain for the time being had once filled his own heart. How- in charge of Bellagio. But Clarina, ever, he had realised a large part of and Gian and Paolo and their bridge.

So-to work on Masso. Henceforth, sional supervision from headquarters, Museo, and all that it might lead to, to make sure that it fell into no evil | Carina helped and carried lumps of should fill his heart and mind to the hands. And Museo was to be render- rock for the buildings, till their limbs thing in this world. exclusion of all clse. If he could not ed impregnable and all power concen- ashed and their unaccustomed hands have love he would been nower. That trated there. by he could compans, for it depended!

Next morning he art off in a fast eighty-oared galley, and had the chappy thought of flying the flag the girls had made for him from a must in the stern. .

and passed through the great door-; way into the courtyard. Margherita and Clarina stood there awaiting him with inyons faces. Their greetings and compliments

over, they all turned towards the inner door leading to the living room. And Gian atood rooted and looked, formally presented the Duke's dis- with the dark blood flooding his face patch, and all menuwhile kept wary and neck, and his eyes staring as eyes for the first signs of treachery though they could not believe what

For from the dark little doorway came Domenica-and not Domenica Visconti, but surely Domenica Serbelloni-exquisitely robed, and looking almost tas he had known and doved You her on the other side of the gulf. She came swiftly to him with glow-

stratched, and his bands met them in to Trento. My wounds and my years | ment they stood looking into one andispose me to a quiet life-if such is other's eyes,-and the past fell from

Then Domenica bent impulsively forward and kissed him warmly on both

known as II to go too. They are mostly Spaniards - "Nay then, 'Menica," he said, in Medeghine, will present himself at and unfortunately, in the rush of deep tense tones. "That will not with letters purporting to events, the little matter of their pay suffice me. I would have more. I must from ourself and bestowing was overlooked and they have had no- want all!" and he kissed her fervent- ly on the lips and she returned his

priest hero?" dear old man, and will do anything

"When you will, my lord. We have once as would enable him to estab- But Ghiberto and Margherita had Of the three briden,-Domenica, the other half-way up the hill on the By the time the boats had got their it was Ghiberto who said it. guns and ammunition ashore, the garrison , was ready to embark. And well as two, and six as well as four." was perhaps the noblest looking.

It would be a long twenty-mile pull Margherita, "and Paolo and Ginevra, a picture of unsurpassable beauty. all lending a hand, only too glad to "I see. We are all bent the same find in any Balbinello you come turn their bachs on Misso and their way. Well, it is not for me to say agross and that will be something-

CHAPTER XVIII.

greater zeal than ever, with the added necessity now of fitting up rooms

Ghiberto and Margherita were inhis own great desires, though not the were to live in the Castle of Musso. largest, and one could not have every anticoly and large to be dismantled, from the remotest possibility of any

was at Pescallo, where the bill of Bellagio ran down to the northern lowlands of the Brianza, made no

that day, and had eaten and drunk | would have been a rash man indeed | venna and the Vaitelline,

"You wish to go to Trento, Signor klases. "Now my cup is full," he said more—and wary, much more richly- who would have adventured its passthan would have normally sufficed him lage. pondered Ginn, "Suppose we carry When they had enten-the best for a month, he returned home some- . All the other works were amplified, you all in the boats to Lecco. That meal, said Gian, that he had ever how between two troopers, whom he and a new fort of enormous strength will put you well on your way to eaten in his life,-he turned to apasmodically exhorted to turn from was built on the topmost plateau and Trento, and Lecco in hold by Spain Margherita and asked, "Have you a their evil courses and especially to armed with Giuseppe's most powerful "Whenever you will, Signor. That "Yes-Father Angelo. He is a very fee which Gian gave him-a sum such harbour, they constructed a covered on he had never in his life possess- way with rock chambers and cunning He had realised most of his youthful "Then-when-Menlen?" he asked. little shrine to the Virgin and so, I Then, with drawbridges at the only

praise and goodwill. something to say on that head, and with the refining touch of all ahe had north, from Dongo -the garrison slept devoted it chiefly to the consolidation gone through deeplag and heightening pencefully of a night and felt itself of his position, adding to it bit by "Father Angelo can marry four as all the chinelled beauty of her face, safe from any outside power what- bit, by diplomacy and the power of when at last Gian saw alx boat-loads "Four? . . . Six? . . . " said Margherita was radiant with happiof them pulling merrily down the Gian, bewildered. "What does he ness and very fair to look upon. But Ginevra Balbinello, in the fresh bloom

Pick out the lovellest face you can faces towards their overdue pay. | you may . . . Father Angelo will but only something-like Ginevra on Ghiberto would call at Bellagio on have his hands full. But what of the day of her wedding with Paolo of his life trying to transmit her to a very great artist.

"Then it is well Prolo should look | Musso, once they were settled gother they envisaged a fortress such na those lands had never dreamed of. and thereafter, conquests near and far commensurate with its power and

> The first thing was to render the Castle absolutely impregnable against \ forth Gian felt he could trust no man outside his own close circle. And to that end every occupant of the Castle art himself and herself without stint. Their hawk's nest must be made safe

Even Domenica and Ginevra and Father Angelo, whose little chapel activities delighted the other workers, and not a man but worked the better

for their assistance. trouble about the weddings. He had cipitous southern escarpment of the and wealth and possessions. lived all his life out of the world and | Castle was absolutely impervious to | He took for his own the rich lands | tain-sides, and the bigger towns

eachew drink. And with the generous guns, From this, right down to the ed all at one time before-he built a look-outs which remain to this day.

among his simple people, gained much | entrances,-the one at the foot of the hill on the south, from Musso; and

> . Then to enlarge the harbour and full. Fighting was his chosen lot in make it also impregnable; and their life, and an occasional set-back but to the building of more and larger roused him to more audacious actibonts, in the curving bay round the vities. shoulder of the hill towards Dongobonts the like of which the fair blue life to him. But his realised loy in Lake had never dreamed of, each pro- Domenica was greater than it all. In pelled by eight-and-forty onrs, and her his heart's desire found its fullcarrying one hundred fighting-men and 1 est satisfaction. He had hungeerd guns firing balls of forty pounds' and thirsted for her love. His heart

weight, besides fire-bombs. brigantine which made him more than to being battered into the mould of ever master of the waters of the Lake | an ambitious fighting man and nothing as he was already of its shores. In more. the winter could bring against him, lented and brought them together, the when even his biggest bonts dared . Jup of their happiness brimmed full. not put their noses outside the har- Of the devious ways by which it bour. And on its sides he blazoned had all come to pass, not one word Sforza, and doubtless a twinge of re- made up for all they had hitherto gret at the perfidy which had alien- missed of the joy of living. false friends or open foes. Hence- ated from him the faith and service | They would climb the steep ways of no hold an adventurer.

For Sforza was falling on trouble. | fort bristled triumphantly and flaunt-He and Pescara, the Emperor's lieu- ed from its tall flag-staft the Medici tenant in Italy, did not get on well atandard with none to say it nay. together, and at last Pescara depriv-

and Cremona. of Spain's rapacity, formed a league plishment and possession. with France against her, and so the ever-changing struggle went on.

Como, watched and waited, and struck at the snowy cones of Legnone and here and struck there, always for his | Legnoncino, and the great white bulk With heightened walls, the pre- own hand now, and grew in power of Grigna,-with all the little towns

knew little of its doings, except that assault. On the northern side a deep of the Brinnza. He had a powerful crouching on the shores of the Lake. they were mostly evil, and so to cleft from top to bottom of the moun- fleet on the Lake of Lugano-just Gravedona, Bellano, Varenna, and at The look-outs saw aim coming, and be most earnestly prayed for even tain formed a intural defensive fosse. over the hill-pass from Menaggio, his newly-established guard-house at when he had climbed the steep way be most earnestly prayed for even tain formed a intural defensive fosse. over the hill-pass from Menaggio, his newly-established guard-house at though they might be almost past | But this they deepened enormously, The three ancient little Republics of Piona Just across the Lake,-their and filled with pointed stakes and old the Tre. Pievi acknowledged him may- eyes rested on their own. These all And when he had done his work sword-blades and pike-heads till it ter. He cast longing eyes at Chia- acknowledged Gian as their lord by

And nothing passed down Como. either from Switzerland or the Grisons, if he said no.

He had circumvented the enomics who would have made an end of him. He had made for himself a name and a great position: He had for wife the one woman he had ever loved. ambitions and had become a nower to be reckoned with by Emperor, King, Duke, and Pope.

That first year of his in Musso was the happiest he had over known. He his guns, and enjoying it all to the

All these things were very splea of had well-nigh starved' to death for There, too, Gian built his famous want of it. His life had come near

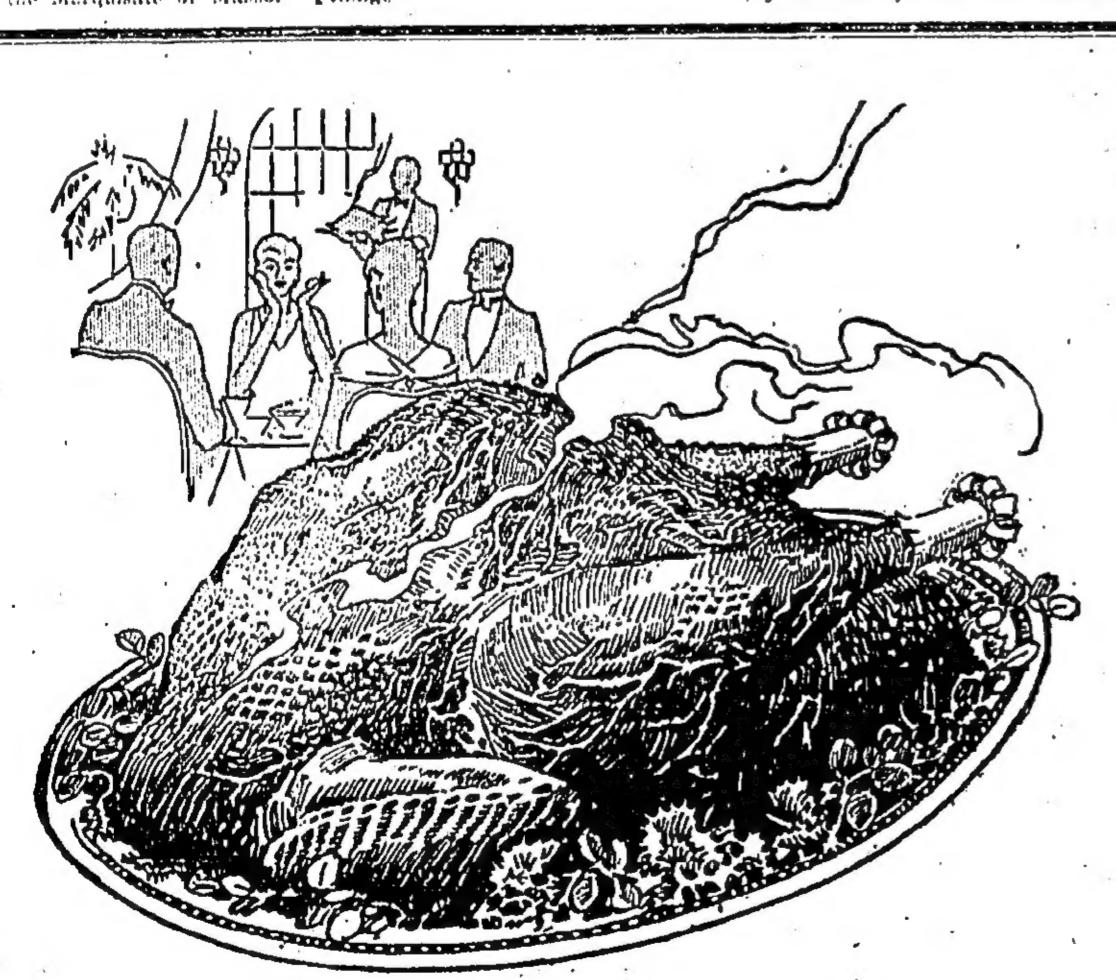
It he braved the most furious gales | Now that Fate, or Fortune, had rethe words Salve Domine, Vigliantes ever passed between them. Those (O Lord, save the Watchful). Which, blurred pages were torn out and deswhen he heard of it, provoked a wary troyed. They were as though they smile from My Lord Duke, Franceso had never been. And that first year

to the upper plateau, where the new

There, in a sunny cleft Gian had ed him of all save the Castles of Milan | had hollowed out, they spent hours of great content and happiness, sayour-Venice and the pope, fenring they ing the present, building the future, themselves might be the next victims and tasting all the joys of accom-

For wherever they looked .-- up and down the long blue stratches of the And Gian, from his hawk's nest on | Lake, from Sorico to Bellagio, across and villages huddling along the moun-

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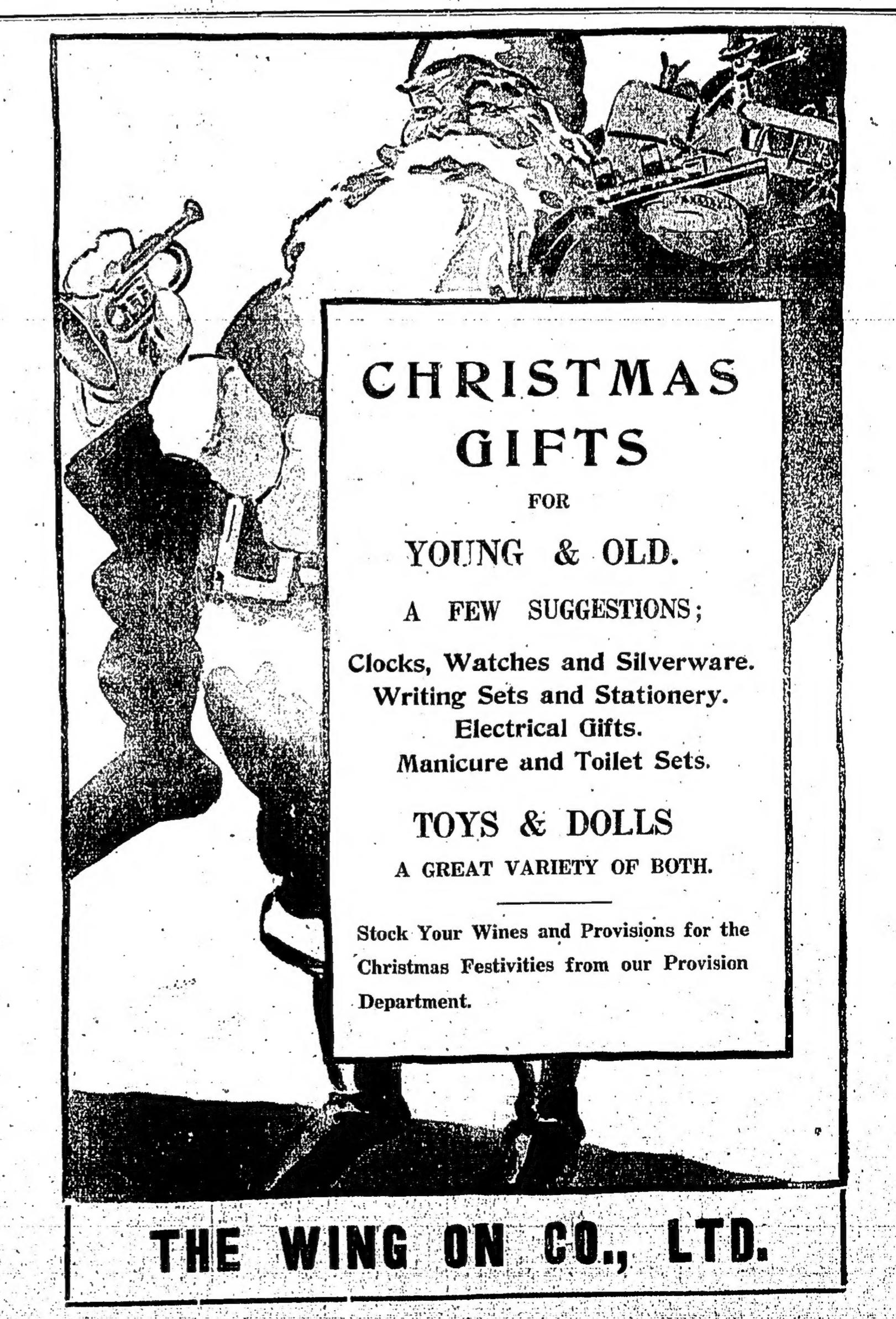


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Cheap Cinema Houses.

showing of second and third run new ones. films. Speaking to a Chinese fin- His memory of the dim past is Receptacles were made, and one of ancier the other day, I was told worthy of recording. It appears there was fastened to each lamp compared with the income.

Police Station. It will have seat- work." ten to forty cents.

_____ Another site on the Praya Re- was an extensive campaign." clamation, opposite to the Sea- That was a random shot, but it | Some trouble-mongers started work will soon commence.

Talkies at Ten Cents.

Apropos cheap cinema houses, it is interesting to note that the much boosted talkie, "Paramount on Parade," was exhibited other day to the bourgeoisie in the Lee Theatre. It drew capacity house. The manageme them have added "Oh Yeah" to the [vocabulary, much to the disgust] of their employers and teachers.

A Spitting Ban in 1909.

Hong Kong is soon to have a over the archives of his memory town requesting the public to rechain of cheap theatres for the to see whether these by-laws are frain from spitting on the pave-

that these cheaper places of that as long as 22 years ago-to post. People were invited to spit amusement yield a far better re- be exact, in May, 1909-the Gov- into these cuspidors. They were turn than the more select theatres, ernment was fully alive to the fashioned something after the pre-One of the reasons given was that danger arising from the nasty and sent containers for the dumping the general outlay and overhead nauseating hablt of spitting in of dead rats, and were fastened to expenses of the latter are too high public. Here, our venerable gen- the lamp standards in the same tleman paused and soliloquised as manner. There must be some truth in to why the President of the Sanithis statement, as Sir Robert Ho tary Board to-day should have so The Funny Side. Tung, whose unerring judgment in conveniently forgotten to mention | "And how did the Chinese reall lines of business is proverbial, what took place in 1909! Getting ceive, it?". I politely asked my inis vastly interested in this enter- no sullghtenment from me he went formant. "They ridiculed the

ing accommodation for about 700, His murmurs did not make me posters were torn down as soon as and the admission is to be from any the wiser, so tactully I said they were put up, and some of the "Yes, it did not work although it receptacles were surreptiously

How it Started.

European lady, apparently the white line order and the Brokers' Chinese society for only ten cents wife of a taipan, one day had her Alley' order end?" ankle sprained as the result of a fall on the pavement outside the I Heard It Said:of the Lee Theatre assured me old Magistracy (now the Queen's that Chinese are taking kindly to Theatre). She attributed this acthe talkies, and that not a few of cident to some phelgm thoughtlessly deposited there by Chinese.

This started the Government thinking. The M.O.H. was consulted, and it dawned on him that spitting was a menace to health. The adoption of new by-laws by The result was that posters the Sanitary Board on Tuesday to in English and Chinese were, to ban spitting in eating houses has use a newspaper man's parlance,

prompted an old resident to go flashed on all prominent places in ments (why pavements only?).

on, "Yes, I can picture the whole whole shooting match, my boy,-A new theatre is to be named thing again in my mind. Hum, received it, not much," he replied. the Oriental Theatre and is situat- that was a better and more elabor- The illiterate class of Chinese. ed on the Praya East Reclamation, ate campaign. But, it did not who were, and still are, the bulk obliquely opposite to the No. 2 work. No. Sir. and it'll never of the population, were sorely incensed over the whole affair. The

wrenched away at night.

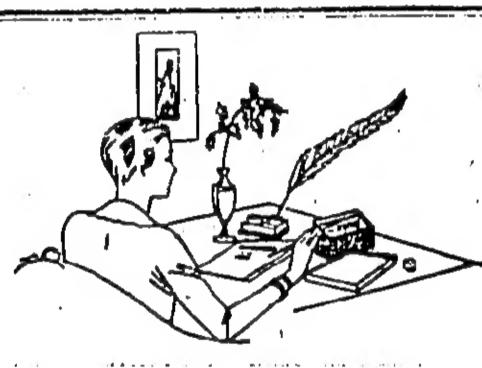
men's Institute, has been marked found its mark. And in the words the rumour that the fluid (Jeye's down for the China Theatre, and of Shakespeare:-"Follow me; I'll fluid) in the receptacle contained tell you strange things," the old a certain poisonous substance, and gentleman led me to his private those who spat into it would have office, and took me back to the his days numbered. The motto

itur ad astrai "How did the whole thing end?" [nsked. The old resident counter-It transpired that a certain ed: "How did the keep inside the

That a new factory for cement making will soon be started in Cheungshawan by Chinese capitalists.

That the increase in the taxation of liquors has diminished the daily takings of local hotels. That there are more middlemen in Brokers' Alley than actual members of the Stock Exchange.

-NOTA BENE.



The GLOBE TROTTER'S DIARY

Mont Blanc Tunnel - - -

A scheme to cut a tunnel through Mont Blane is being seriously con- Georgia. sidered in connection with the prowork of motor highways through

The plan was brought up at the national congress on motor routes held at the International Labour Office at Geneva. It was pointed out that a trunk motor road running through Mont Blane would become the principal highway for international traffic with Italy even in Winter.

Some Calculating Machine - - -

A calculating machine "which turns involved mathematical problems into a beam of light and analyses the light to find the answer" is claimed to have been developed by Dr. Gray, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The machine has been named the "Photo-Electric Integraph."

in accordance with the particular mathematical problem.

By the measurement of this beam of light the solution of the problem is attained.

Immigration and Rhodesia - - -

labour is a notice in the following came dwarfed and sour.

"It is hereby notified for the in- Kenyn Riches - - .- . formation of persons desirous of en- | Confirmation is cagerly awaited ment purpose of seeking employment, or of diamonds and gold have been of engaging in occupations in which made.

skilled labour into the Colony is perty. restrictable under the Immigration | As to the diamonds, the prospects

War In 1980 - - -

The next great war will occur "any time after 1980," and to shel- German Excavations - - ter the people of the world there. Remains of Roman buildings de- would try not to show it, would be as will be bomb-proof buildings and corated with the same patterns as tender, and loving to her as over, powerful protective games.

given by Commander Wills B. Havi- Treves, in the Rhineland. land, war aviator, of Atlanta, Paintings of clk, dolphins, and

Belief that science will act short- cognised on the walls. posed construction of a great not- ly to provide plans for defence. This is the first discovery of the against predicted air raids and gas kind made in Treves, which was the attacks was voiced by the aviator. Augusta Trevirorum where the

opening meeting of the first inter- wipe out cities and nations," he ex- Empire reigned from 268 to 400 plained. "Science will develop A.D. means of counteracting warfare almost as speedily as the hazards of Secret Libel Action - - war increase. ..

American air attack of the World proprietor of Marlon, Ohio. War. He was in charge of a squa-: The judge ruled that the testidron of 16 planes, which swooped mony must be kept secret since it down on the Austrian naval base would be liable to corrupt public at Porto Corsini, on the Adriatic morals. Sen, in 1918.

No Champagne Vintage - - -

Connoisseurs of champagne will She claims to have been his mis-The basis of the new device is learn with some disappointment tress and to have borne him a the photo-electric cell. The operathat there will be little or no 1931, daughter. tion of the computator depends on vintage. It had been announced the modification of a beam of light in June that the vineyards from which the champagne manufacturers purchased their grapes promised an excellent year, but this hope has not been fulfilled.

To begin with, the larvae of the right of might, and his heart swelltiny moth known as the "cochylis of with pride as he looked.

It was his love for Domenica that ambiguella," or grape moth, had set his foot to the steep, prewrought have among the young enrious climb. It was the loss of her The latest pronouncement of grapes. Then the wet and un- that had bound him doggedly to the Southern Rhodesia in regard to imusually cold Summer deprived the ladder, since nothing else in life had migration as affecting employment grapes of the sunshing necessary his side, rejoicing with him in the and the introduction of unskilled for their development, and they be fruits of his labour.

tering Southern Rhodesia for the in Nairobi of reports that new finds

the remuneration is uncertain, that, The gold discovery is reported in of the lower slopes break out into the owing to the existing economic the Kisi country of Kenya Colony, soft greenery of the vines and the situation, the provisions of the while the diamonds are being grayer greenery of the olives. And Immigration Law will be strictly sought in the Mkalama district of highest joy of all would be their. Tanganyika, in which territory a "It is further notified for general find of nickel was recently confirminformation that the entry of un-ed, although it was on private pro-

those at Pompeli have been un-

This view into the future was earthed during excavations at

various small birds can still be re-

"Another world war will not Roman Emperors of the Western

The public and even newspaper "All buildings will be construct- reporters were barred from the ed so that bombs will not explode court room at Toledo when Miss on hitting the roof and the walls Nan Britton, the author of the will be built so that the force of "President's Daughter," was due to the blast will have no effect." . I testify personally in a libel action Commander Hayiland led the first against Mr. C. A. Klunk, a hotel

Miss Britton was due to testify regarding her relations with the late President Warren G. Harding.

THE HAWK OF COMO.

(Continued from Page 6.)

And, presently, more tender and personal matters occupied their hearts, to the exclusion of all but what was inecessary for their safe accomplish-

They watched the winter anowa melt away from the mountain-sides, leaving them only their defiant white crowns. They saw the terraced lands before these should fully ripen the And with a rosy flush on her face, and stars in her dark eyes. Domenica listened to her Jord delightedly planning the future of the son she was

going to bear him. It was to be a boy without a doubt. are said to be "promising." Al- So insistently did Gian assert it that ready a number of claims have been she almost came to believe it herself, a little Domenica instead of the wished-for little Glan, she recoiled, from thought of his disappointment. He

(To be Concluded.)

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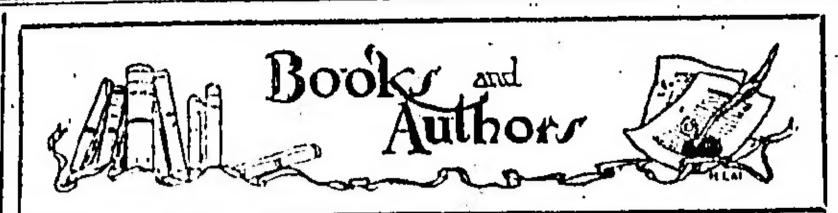
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the cover in appicture of Greta sculpture of ancient Greece, a

he gives to new British successes. begin to exercise an independent Prominent among these are two judgment. films that will be shown here shortly: "Tons of Money," featuring Caesar's Gaul be divided into Ralph Lynn, and "Tilly of Blooms, three parts: Representative art. bury," with Sydney Howard. Decorative art, and Constructive Others which he recommends are: art. When these three aspects of "The Sport of Kings" with Leslie artistic creation are clearly under-Henson, "Dreyfun" and "Tell Eng- 1 stood; the knowledge will provide

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'A Grammar of the Arts." by Sir Charles Holmes, K.C.V.O., Hon. D. Litt., F.S.A., etc., some time Director of the National Gallery. Author of The National Gallery, etc. Illustrat-

We have long been trying to persunde Sir Charles Holmes to write would help the plain man to underin art whother in a great painting The frontispiece is a coloured or a porcelain jug, a carpet or a photo of Ronald Colman, while on cathedral, a Japanese print or a wooden chair or a silver cup. Here Mr. W. A. Mutch is to be con- int last is the book. A Grammar gratulated on such a fine publica- of the Arts, as it were, from which tion, and especially for the publicity a man can get his bearings and

Art, we are told, may like us with a foundation of sound prin-The Annual is on sale at Sin- ciples which turn the analysis of even the most complicated manifestations of art into a relatively simple study. The consideration of these three aspects in some detailthe guiding principles of arttherefore occupies the first part of the book.

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Many collectors are interested in air mail stamps, but few know the origin of air mails.

They were first carried by French aeronauts, who maintained communications between Paris and the to the open sea; and as he looked aside from a boy in the back row, remainder of the world during the he saw a fish swimming along in siege of Paris by the Prussians in 1870-71. These mails were carried by balloons, and no special air mail fisher was extremely lazy. It was ingly: stamps were issued.

was issued by the Italian Govern- straight as a die, for his mealment on May 21, 1917, for an ex- and missed. The startled fish darted perimental service between Turin away, leaving a trail of little buband Rome. These stamps are rare, bles in its wake. But the Kingas only a very few were used. Later on various countries com- ed!

Imenced air mail routes. on October 4, 1919, but it was "Your strength is waning-you are abandoned owing to unfavourable too old-your time has come." Even weather conditions.

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"THE KINGFISHER."

The Kingfisher raised his head, and gazed lazily at the water rolling quietly beneath him-the silver stream that threaded its way gently facetious manner, which drew an the peaceful stream. But the King- lips move, called to him encourag-

a hot day, and—but, no——— And may be right." The first special air mail stamp | so the Kingfisher dived-dived, fisher never noticed; he had miss-

The gentle breeze, which hitherto Japan commenced an air mail he had perforce to praise, seemed ervice between Tokyo and Osaka to grow strong in its contempt. the birds seemed to chirp: "Make way-make way; you are too old."

He flew back to his perch, and let his head fall dejectedly upon his breast. Yes, he was too old; they were quite right-he should "make way." This was the climax. A rabbit ran trom behind a bush,

stopped, with quivering nostrils, looked at the Kingfisher deflantly impudently. "You missed!". The Kingisher watched the little mass of fur bound vigorously away

-watched it enviously, because of its healthy young life. His time had come; so slowly, very slowly, the lifted proudly his

head, unfurled his wings, and-The sun rose, shedding its newborn light over the penceful bush, and waking its various inhabitants.

The rubbit appeared once more They do not seem to wobble about from behind the bush, out for his Int all, as one would expect them morning meal, stopped abruptlyto do, but of course, there is a quivering, startled, little heart secret attached to this little feat. beating flercely, little eyes search-You must prepare your column of | ing for the phenomenon. What match-boxes by carefully fixing the was it? Ah, the Kingfisher! The ends of each mutch-hox tray into Kingfisher? Why, the Kingfisher the cover of the adjoining box, so was missing-the Kingfisher was blat they are really interlaced as it missing! And he scampered off ex- missing!" were, and give each other support, citedly with the sad news, for the

WHO KNOWS.

An inspector was examining a class of boys in science, and receiving few answers to his questions. He asked one in a rather

"Silly Ass!" The inspector, seeing the boy's "Speak up, my boy, you

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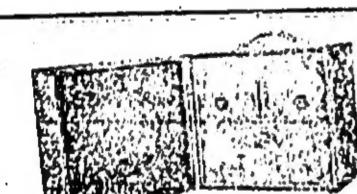
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Then the day that the amah dust- things! ed and fumbled, and my Worcester plate lay in four ugly fragments that give would only make uglier still. The roof of the world might have fallen, too.

But after I had 'put the pieces away, a strange new comfort took possession of us all. I began to like The other day I went down town said.

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Ethe space that the plate had left, and and saw a new plate in one of the El could hear the amah talking to stores. It was gay and bright and herself in monotonous though not rather coarse, with colour splashed

mournful tones as she whisked on boldly in a way that caught the round her dusting. A great big sunshine and held it fast. I loved responsibility seemed to have lifted its warmth and friendliness, and itself from the house's shoulders, for \$1.50 it was mine. just as if a very trying guest had n freedom.

ever did. For years I believed that | dened my heart in a real way. 1

And that suggested value of fifty superior friends. It was real. pounds at Home could I have to talk about.

All the way home I lamented my stone and friendly folk could laugh shocking lack of taste, and I had a horrible sense of sacrilege as I put Did I, after all, really like that it up where the precious_ Worces-Worcester plate? I wonder if I ter piece had been. But it gladit was important and valuable, but loved it truly, not with the artifi-I never asked if it was valuable to | cial love that is fostered in impresme. Strange, but we do these sive age and quoted prices, nor even in the gushing admiration of

Only once have I blushed for it, ever sold it for such a sum? Ex- and that was when my most artisperts are friendly when they call, tic friend looked in. But she and they at least give us something | smiled in that secret understanding way of a woman whose affections have been found out too.

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* * *

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When shall we be able to say that the dollar now goes farther? -When the price of petrol comes

"Could you tell me the best way to cut a water melon?" asks a correspondent.-Pass it by and pretend not to see it. * * *

Candles, we notice, are yet being exported in large quantities .-Which shows that the candle has not yet been put out.

We now know why the photographer used to implore of us to of Stables." "Smile, sir, smile!"-He wanted us to give our faces joy-rides.

totarian President Sir William Hornell, the other night .- And we ! -- An apology seems due. understood that the Club was born on December 10, 1930.

the same of the Hong Kong dollar. bone. It seems to get away from us much too quickly.

created a high jump record.

T SIGHED with relief as I watched

close behind the last patient listed

ed for my hat. My hand, however.

dropped to my side as the door

again opened to admit the inestim-

ours, whom even the most charit-

ably-minded could not but term

garrulous.

the door of my consuiting room

than down with the measles. The cry raised by ardent Protec-

tionists to-day is-Run-si-man.

"The general's been sick."-"Really! What happened?"-"Oh -things in general."

patronised in the Winter.-If It deesn't grill you too much. Motor-cars are increasing by

leaps and bounds. Pedestrians are age. surviving by the same process. Tigers appear to be plentiful in Hong Kong .-- They're to be encoun-

The printer's fiend almost put one across us the other day. We talked of sterling stabilisation, but he would have it as "Sterilisation

In a foreword to a certain book just published a certain Rt. Hon'ble "This is our first birthday," said says of a certain person, "He married a Japanese wife."

The small pet dog found by the Police in a dispensary last Sunday "The dollar is the faziest thing evidently did not belong to Mother in America," says an American Hubbard .- Otherwise, it would Senator.-We wish we could say have gone to the Mortuary for a

Last evening's football match, between "The Civilians" and "The "A 36-year old Russian emigre," Army," must have been worth we are told, "committed suicide by watching.-A newspaper told us jumping from the Arc de Triumph during the week, that "The on December 1."-He may have com- Civilians" would be provided with mitted suicide, but he certainly "white skirts" at the Sookunpoo dressing room.

Sitting Bull has proved himself, How about a moratorium on the to be anything but a sitting bull. discussion of business depression?

It's better to be up with the lark A lie is a very poor substitute for the truth, but it's the only one discovered up to date.

> The friends which your promises bring you are lost for ever when these promises are unfulfilled.

A paragon is the model man woman regrets she gave up for the The new Grill Room will be well one she mistakenly married.

> An aviator recently began his twenty-first year as a flier.-More proof that aviation is coming of

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in together. Blurred like. I'll be want those. How about, ponce mays? mummummercading a book, and the print, well. Jane thinks ponce may a would suit you know what I mean. So I said my type of face best The to Jane, I said, "Jane, there's some- second line again? M- K-L-N-S thing wrong with my eyes." "Well." Do those ponce mays come in cellushe said, "don't, for heaven's sake, lold, sort of gray, lil a? The third in the engagement book, and reach- get those old-fashioned gold-rimmed line again No, I can't even see things." So I don't want that kind. the last line It's still blurry

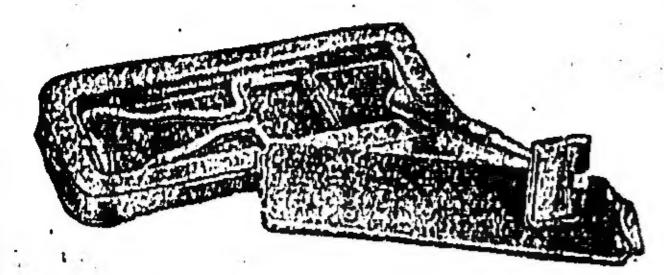
my right eye Now, I can't see ponce nays? No lens in the a thing out of my left eye it's instrument Don't need glasses? "Oh, doctor," she gushed, as I all blurry. Ah, that's better. What! Not even ponce motioned her to a chair, "my eyes, Z-B-M-F The next line? mays?

the black ribbon that fold up, like that picture actor wears? "Land" out to a belated lymbacon.

... Oh, yes, after the test, of I think the name is; no, wait ≣courseWhy, things sort of run | "Lloyd," that's it. Well, I don't

And I don't want spectacles, I' Yes, I can see both lines now want Have you some samples? out of my left eye Do the ponce ... Oh, yes, after the test, yes hays snap open and fold up? Are able Mrs. Smithers, a neighbour of The top line? Oh, dear, those they Yes, I, can read all the are too big Oh, I see; just for lines out of bot'h eyes Then the test. Can't see a thing out of you can correct the trouble with

you know. I want then tested, R-E-J-L-K ... or is it N ... I Sending a benediction after the need glasses all right. Have you retreating Agure of Mrs. Smitners, please I'd like the kind with those big horn-rimmed ones like I crammed on my but and dashed A BLADE worthy of its steel and a-RAZOR worthy of its blade



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The Right to Die.

THE modern world is neither static, nor retrogressive. It is positively progressive. And man, in bulk, for all his seeming quite sure that he wished to anti- take place on Sunday at 10 a.m. lethargy and backwardness, is increasing the tempo and lags not to-day far behind the times. Man (the word is used in its comprehensive sense) has established his right to freedom of life and within his reach. In cases where and 7 a.m. and there will be High thought — as near as such freedom can be established. Choice of the patient was unable to swallow, be larger that provision to the lethal dose could be administer—4.30 p.m. tinuation of that relationship is his; choice of procreating children and limiting their number is, very nearly, his: And now, ness would need to be present, and once again, with renewed vigour, is he asserting his right to die, only persons of a certain statusif he happens to be the victim of a malady which is incurable. Every one of these choices is an "elementary human right," but solicitors, or doctors, would be elected a member of the Royal Emeach, at some time or another, and for some reason or another, was eligible for this duty. partered away or forcibly taken away - in other words, of these rights he was ropbed, despoiled, in some cases under talse pretences. he is now coming back into his own inneritance. The light has been long and severe, and the battle is not yet won. Indeed, the battle seemingly will never cease. In attempting to appreciate the nght we have but to reflect on such aspects of the campaign as freedom from religious domination, divorce, twinght seep, and birth control to mention a few.

And now, as we said before, man is seeking to establish his right to die, under circumstances. This right, it is argued, is "not contrary to true morality," and, it seems to us, the right cannot for long now be withheld from him. The latest to make the petition is of death. Dr. C. Killick Millard, of Leicester, and the petition is to be found contained in the text of a presidential address delivered to the Society of Medical Officers of Health in October. The pertinent portions of the address are to be found at the foot of the adjacent column. A perusal of them will be necessary for a just apprecia-I tion of the comments made in this column.

The doctor has raised a poignant question, and it is unlikely that an "answer in the affirmative" will be given for yet many years to come. That it may be given finally we believe not to be broke down, and as public opinion beyond the bounds of possibility. We shall not be dogmatic and say that it will be given. That the right will not be conceded without violent opposition he is quite right to anticipate. Indeed, the strength of the opposition, and to some degree its tenor, was re- increase. vealed to him in the course of his address, when Dr. Lydia Leney, assistant medical officer of health, St. Pancras, loudly interjected the comment, "Horrible! Horrible!" and left the room at the end cremation, the movement would be folk in thin attire napping. of the meeting, protesting her objections. If we recollect aright, helped forward by the example set much the same was said in the infant days of twilight sleep, birth by a few outstanding men and we control and divorce. Horrible! Horrible! however, in itself, is no argument against the establishment of the right. It is but a of science, philosophy, art, and re- to a series of three matches. conventional expression of sentiment, and sentiment is frequently ligion." irrational and unreasonable. Nevertheless, it is an obstacle not easily to be surmounted, but it is an obstacle which finally gives precedure and safeguards embedded back some good hefty boxers- Services. way under pressure - in this case it will be the pressure of en- in the bill he had drafted, to be call- ready and able to win everything

lightened thought. We note the precautions which the doctor proposes should be (Legalisation) Bill. They would taken before the "Lethal Cup" is called for and placed within reach include: and sight of the patient. He proposes that the patient should obtain leave to die under medical certificate and strict official regulations which would ensure an independent witness of authority to the patient's sincere desire for death. Yet, how can such precautions, or any precautions, avail to avoid abuse? Many sufferers are not capable of a settled judgment, or of judging for themselves at all. The onus of deciding whether a man should be put to death, in fact, whatever the safeguards, would be thrown upon his doctor. These questions have been raised by a commentator. They cannot be lightly turned aside. It is this element of abuse and its elimination, or, at any rate, its control that will be one of the major difficulties to be overcome. But because there are difficulties, and very great ones too, need not deter us and, we feel sure, will not be permitted to retard the establishment of this right to man. It should also be borne in mind that, with the development of enlightened thought, the element of abuse may be expected to shrink, because the idea of abuse, in itself, is a reflex of unenlightened

thought.

THE RIGHT TO DIE.

Responsible Medical Man's Submission,

THE "LETHAL CUP."

In his presidential address to the Society of Medical Officers of Health the relatively small attendance only in London in October, Dr. C. Killick increased mortality from cancer-a Messrs. Collins and West the gennotoriously painful disease-made tlemen's. the time opportune to consider tractive list of holiday affairs at the voluntary enthanasia (easy death), club premises during the Christmas and the question of making it legal week and on New Year's Eve. subject to proper safeguards.

"Our proposition merely is," he declared, "that individuals who hav attained to years of discretion, and handicap games have been got off who are suffering from an incur- between the showers. able and fatal disease, which usually entails a slow and painful - death should be allowed by law-if they so desire, and if they have complied with the requisite conditions -to substitute for the slow an painful death a quick and painless

Not Merely Mercy.

"This we submit, should be regarded not merely as an act of 10 a.m. yesterday the rainfall was other organisations in which he mercy, but as a matter of elemen | 0.07 inch. The total from January | had taken an active interest. tary human right. It is difficult to 1 was 79.97 against an average of see, if properly safeguarded, that 84.40—a deficit of only 2.48 inches. It would be in any way contrary to the highest interests of the community as a whole."

come when the applicant, having dis- it was 69 at 10 a.m. yesterday and Ho Leung, Ho Iu, Ho Kwong, Hincussed the matter with those near 64 at 4 p.m. The humidity was 63 shing Lo, H. Gittins, J. D. Bush, and dear to him, and with his at 4 p.m. spiritual adviser, decides to act upon his permit, he will send word to The Royal Army Ordnance Corps tributes. the practitioner concerned and ar- are holding their next dance in the range date and other details. The Garrison Lecture Hall on Saturday euthanasia would be governed by re- mission will be gents \$1 and ladies gulations to be made by the Home by courtesy. Secretary or Minister of Health. No doubt alternative methods would be approved, and these could be of the Hong Kong Horticultural varied from time to time as experi- Society that according to present

The "Lethal Cup."

"In the present state of our know- day, March 3. ledge the usual method of choice. where the patient was able to include an express statement by the message will be ten words. cuthanisor as to the object of the draught, and a direct question to the applicant as to whether he was Francis Convent, Wanchai, will cipate death. If his answer were All friends are cordially invited to in the affirmative the lethal cup assist in the good cause. ed hypodermically.

"An independent and official witmagistrates, · · clorgymen,

plished, the euthanisor would fill and who arrived Home last month. Mr. sign the necessary certificate on a P. Jacks and Mr. J. Barrow are prescribed form, and this would members who have left Home. then be counter-signed by the official witness. This certificate, which would state the fatal disease est players in American National from which the deceased had suffer- League Baseball and who played for ed, and would specify euthanasia as the St. Louis Cardinals, arrived here the mode of death, would take the yesterday on the President Harriplace of the ordinary medical certificate for purposes of registration he has just completed a successful

Changing Public Opinion.

"At first, no doubt, the number of persons who would take advantage of the Act would not be large, wherever the second possibly very small. By degrees, however, as people became accustomed to the idea and prejudice came to regard cuthanasia as courageous, rational, and often very years and years. altruistic course, the numbers would

"Doubtless, as in the case of men, distinguished in the spheres has challenged, the parent League must be made in writing to the

Dr. Millard described the further ed the Voluntary Euthanasia that is going here.

medical referee that the and the case was a proper one to ing Russian emigrants. be granted a permit.

Permits to be granted by Court of . Summary Jurisdiction sitting in camera. Adequate provision would be made for any objections that might be urged by the near relatives.

The validity for a certain period of the permits, which could be renewed if desired. There would therefore be no necessity for a permit to be acted upon at once, but it could be held in case the pain became intelerable.

NAVAL YARD.

Recreation Club Matters.

The fortnightly Whist Drive was held in the Club Room on Friday. The many counter attractions and bad weather were responsible for twelve tables being engaged.

Mrs. Parsons and Mrs. Warring-

The Committee announce an at

The wretched weather conditions during the last two weeks have curtailed the activities of the tennis section, but a few tournament and

News in Brief.

H.M.S. Cumbelrand returned from burial ground. r Summer visit North yesterday. She has been relieved by H.M.S. Reamick.

A cold spell has set in up North. Hornell, the Hon. Mr. A. E. Wood, In Chefoe the temperature was 24 the Hon. Dr. R. H. and Mrs. Kote-"Assuming that the time has and in Shanghai 85. In Hong Kong wall, Messrs. Ho Kom-tong, O.B.E.,

for administering next, commencing at 8.30 p.m. Ad-

We are informed by the Secretary arrangements, the Committee have decided to hold the Annual Show of Flowers and Vegetables on Thurs-

Christmas and New Year greetswallow, would probably be a lethal ing cablegrams will be received by (narcotic) draught, which might be the Eastern Extension, Australasia, given in a special utensil, the 'lethal and China Telegraph Company at cup.' A prescribed procedure would reduced rates from to-morrow up have to be followed, which would to January 6. Minimum for each period is limited to 14 days, after

The annual Bazaar of the St. would be handed to him or placed usual Services will be held at 6.80

Personal Par.

Mr. Justice J. R. Wood has been pire Society. Mr. J. R. George, "Euthanssia having been accom- Hong Kong, is among the members

> Mr. Frank Frisch, one of the greatson. He comes from Japan where tour with an all-star American baseball team. Last night he was the guest of Mr. F. H. Mody who entortained a party of friends at Repulse

HONG KONG FAIRY STORIES.

Chemists complain that yesterday's sudden cold snap caught many

The new Chinese Football League

A certificate from an official on Russian life under the Soviet, scribed form. ap- the Shipping Companies are finding | The scale of fees is:-

MR. WONG KAM-FUK

Laid to Rest in Chinese Cemetery.

5,000 PERSONS ATTEND.

The funeral of Mr. Wong Kamfuk. Yor 42 years compradore of the Hong Kong and Kow-Millard, of Leicester, said that the ton carried off the ladies' prizes and loon. Wharf and Godown Compaly, Ltd., was held at noon yesterday, when, after passing Chinese Christian - Cemetery, where a short service of remembernee was hold in the Chapel, the remains were interred in the Chinese Permanent Cemetery. The chief mourners were deceased's six

sons, three daughters, and relatives. The high esteem and great respect that Mr. Wong Kam-fuk was held, was evidenced by the number of mourners estimated at over 5,000, who formed the procession, and paid their last respects at the

The procession which was nearly two miles long, included a large detachment of girls from the Kam Hing Knitting Factory, of which he During the 24 hours ended at | was the founder, also groups from

Those present included Sir Robert Ho Tung, Lady Ho Tung, Sir Shou-son Chow, Sir William

Chan Tin-son, and Loung Sal-wab. There was a profusion of floral

NURSING SERVICES.

Regulations.

1.-All communications regarding Nursing Services must be made in writing to the Principal Matron

-Medical Department. 2.-No application for the services of a nurse will be entertained until this agreement form has been signed by a responsible person.

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4.-When called upon to nurse more than one case in a house, an extra half fee is payable for each additional patient.

5.—Board, lodging and laundry must be provided for the nurse whenever possible. If proper sleeping accommodation cannot be proextra charge of \$1 a day will be

made for such accommodation. If meals have to be provided in the Quarters, the following extra charges will be made:-

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6.-It is requested that the health of the nurse be considered especially with reference to proper sleeping accommodation and outdoor re-

for 24 hours, should have three hours off duty for recreation and outdoor exercise. Should the nurse have disturbed nights with her patient, she will need an additional two hours for

Nurses responsible for a patient

Nurses doing 12 hours duty should have two hours off duty, if

possible in the afternoon. 7.—Should a nurse require extra time off duty at any time, she must In certain shops Christmas toys obtain the permission of the Docare the cheapest they have been for tor attending the case, and of the Principal Matron, who will, if possible, supply a relief.

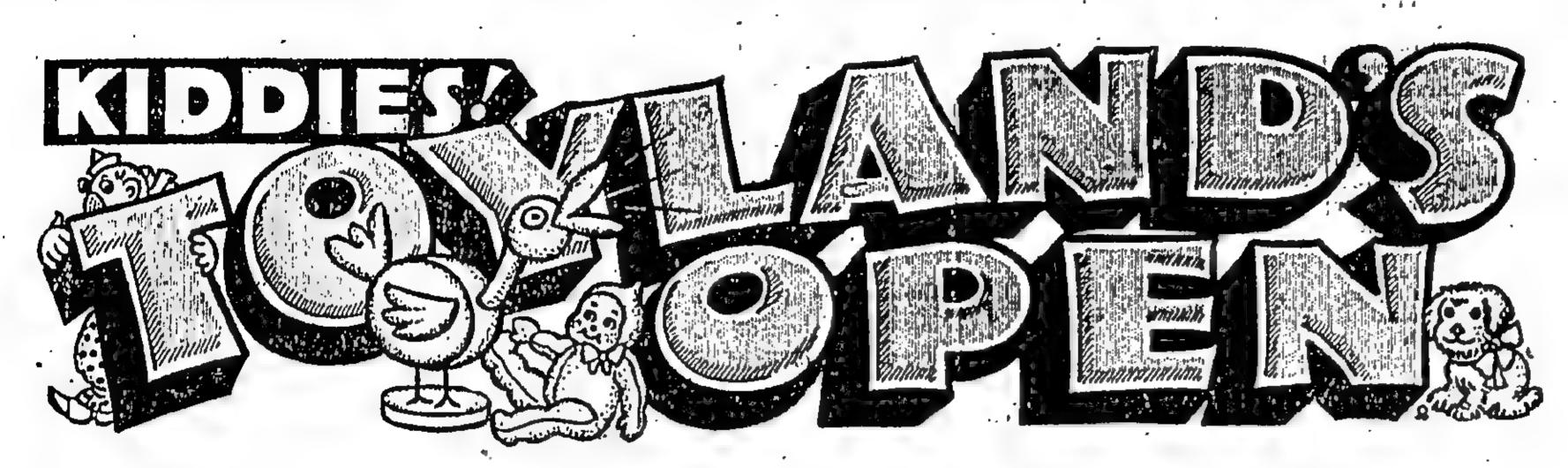
8.-When the services of a nurse are no longer required, 24 hours notice must be given in advance to the Principal Matron.

9.—Complaints regarding Nurses Principal Matron who will, if necessary, submit them to the H.M.S. Cumberland has brought Director of Medical and Sanitary

From January 1, 1982, the engagement of the services of a private nurse will be subject to the As a result of the illuminations signing of an agreement on a pro-

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versation."

"Joe has a glass eye." "Did he tell you that?" "No; it just came out in the con-

· A pedestrian crossed the trafficfilled street while looking up at an neroplane overhead. Three buses shaved him so closely that his beard didn't appear again for a week, the wind from six passing cars raised the nap of his last year's suit, one car removed the shine from the back of his shoes, and the drivers of seven others, while stripping their gears in an effort to avoid him, also stripped their vocabularies of every known high-powered adjective. After stumbling over the kerbstone on the farther side of the road, the pedestrian was heard to murmur: "My gracious, those aviators lead dangerous lives!"

A salesman travelling in America found to his surprise that the train came in on time. He immediately went to the driver and said: "Here's a cigar; I want to congratulate you. . I have travelled this road for fifteen years, and this is the first time I have caught a train on time."

"Keep the eigar," said the driver. "This is yesterday's train."

Instalment Collector: See here, you're several instalments behind on your plane.

Purchaser: Well, the company advertises, "Pay as you play." Collector: What's that got to do with it?

Purchaser: I play very poorly.

Scene: Paris. Swede (standing): You are a Parisian, Madam?

Lady (with window-seat): Why, Swede: Then you know all these

buildings we're passing? Lady (puzzled): Oh, yes; certainly.

Swede: Oh well, then, you'll let me have your sent-because I don't.

"My dear young lady," said the clergyman in aggrieved tones, as he listened to the extremely modern young woman tear off some of the very latest jazz on the plane, "have you ever heard of the Ten Com-

mandments?" "Whistle a few bars," said the modern young lady, "and I think I can follow you."

manma you sat up with."

ting up with the sick son of the hurry up and finish, replied: "I torney.

Angry Father: "Well, young, The long-winded speaker always, "Did you-utterly without warn-, "Indeed," said Mrs. Brown. lady, explain yourself coming in at reminds one of the little fellow ing-assault this poor wholesale "marriage changes one's life. who kept on repeating his prayers, salesman and throw him into the Once, before marriage, I used to Daughter: "Oh, daddy, I was sit- and, when the nurse asked him to street?" demanded the district at sie up half the night waiting for

"Three times."

Alfred to go home. Now I sit up sick man you are always telling have forgotten the word to leave "Yes," replied the retailer, half the night waiting for him to

LUCKY AT CARDS ---OR JUST CLEVER?

BLACK MAGIC ON THE BAIZE TABLES.

WORLD'S GREATEST PLAYER ON LUCK AND SKILL

BY R. F. FOSTER

AM frequently asked: "Which, Is the more important at the bridge table-luck or skill?" always say: "Luck to win games; players in England, even if the skill to er oy them,"

Mathematicians refuse to acknowledge the existence of luck and insist that cards equalise themselves in time. Admitted. But in what space of time?

In the days of whist I kept account of the high eards and trumps dealt me for 5,000 consecutive deals at the Cherry Diamond Whist Club, New York, now the Knickerbocker. Instead of 20,000 court cards, I held trumps, I held 17,092.

A Lucky Hand,

Every card player knows someone who is continually lucky, The mathematician says it will not last. Why should it change?

Those familiar with London may remember a money-changing klosk outside Charing Cross Station, known as Hand's. Playing at Simpson's, on the Strand, Mr. Hand had established his reputation as a great card holder at whist in 1889

At the National Liberal Club In 1903 he was a big winner at bridge, and told me that if he were to lose every rubber he played until the end of his life he would still be hundreds of pounds ahead.

He died in 1917, a great card holder to the last.

of the greatest bridge players in the the rubber. world, was famous for his luck even more than for his skill, as the luck was more widely known. In a 'set match' at the Racquet

Club in St. Louis, four years ago, he took Drummond Jones for a partner and played a set match against Mark Tungate and Roy Surgent, of Los Angeles, for two dollars a point.

St. Louis won twenty-eight rubbers out of the thirty played, worth more than eighteen thousand dollars. There was supposed to be little tochoose in the matter of skill by those who arranged the match.

Before the International Test matches in England, which I was the first to suggest, I advised Col. Buller to pick the four luckiest game was to be duplicate, writes R. F. Föster in a special article to

There is a good deal of luck in the play, even with equal cards. Some players make mistakes that cost nothing; while other mistakes

Duffers Who Win-And Why. It is a common remark that the duffers in the clubs always win, because they have such good luck. only 14,608; but instead of 16,250 The explanation is that the duffers who are unlucky give up the club game, while the lucky ones stay with it because they are lucky. It is the survival of the fittest, or natural selection, whichever you please.

The skilful player keeps on because he enjoys the game,

win or lose. At the bridge table, luck appears in various ways. You may cut bad partners. You may hold bad cards. You may continually finesse and lose; and again, fail to finesse and lose, while another player makes the most atrocious finesses andwins all the time. Your partner may make some trifling error and lose the game. Your opponents make an obvious mistake and it makes no difference. Forgetting that dummy's seven is the best of that suit may make no difference The late Bryant McCampbell, one at one time; at another it will cost

Many players make an error at a critical point, and everything seems to go wrong with them afterwards, game after game, while someone else makes mistakes one after another and wins every rubber he

You hold an excellent hand every now and then and find your partner with nothing. You call on five average trumps and find five better ones in one hand against you. You have a close choice between a suit call and no-trumps, and whichever you do, you regret.

When Luck Runs. It is a curious paradox that while some believe in luck having "runs," others believe in continual change. This persists at the card table just as much as at the roulette wheel. One player finds red winning and bets on it to win again! another insists red has won so often it must come black now.

For some still unknown reason, spades were turned up for the trump at whist in the old days in London clubs more than any other suit.

Players would not bet more than two to one against spades being turned. Others would bet five to one that spades would not be turned twice in auccession during the rubber. This is a bad bet. The odds are seven to one against it.

Luck seems to attach itself, good or bad, to some persons, as cats attach themselves to houses.

Whims of the Whimsy. Some players believe that because they have lost during one entire week; they are "due" to win next week. But, if they win for a whole week, they imagine they are going to win next week as well.

The number of persons who are eager to secure the winning seats for the next rubber, and to take the winning cards for their deal, is legion.

In a London club where this superatition in the persistence of luck in seats and cards was very prevalent, I used to offer a bet of half-a-crown against the seats, or offer to sell the choice when I cut

Some persons cannot be convinced that the rubber just played has no influence on the result of the one about to be played, apart from the psychological effect on the players themselves. If two partners have won ten straight rubbers, it is still nothing but an even bet that they do not win the eleventh. You fancy their luck must change. Why should it? Luck at the card table is

either a fact or a superstition -but superstition at the card. table is another story for another time.

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(Underwear Style) \$12.00	\$6.00
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PRESENT LARGE

Yesterday saw the closing day of the Kowloon Bowling Green | due, Club, when a large number of members, lady friends and visitors graced the proceedings with their presence.

In spite of the gloomy weather, with threatening skies, and | Season closed and likewise all Greens chilly wind, an enjoyable afternoon was spent by all.

Before the distribution of prizes, a match was played between the President's team, Mr. Thompson, and the Vice-President's side, Mr. Hogbin. After a close game the President's team emerged victorious by 105 shots to 100. No fewer than 8 rinks more successful than its predecezfrom each side turned out. All visiting players in the game were presented with souvenirs in the form of silver spoons.

selection.

In addition to the League Games

we have had the pleasure during

themselves and so did we.

Competition of the Club.

L. Guy. Mr. Guy's name will now

Club and, if I may say so, one of

The Vice-President's Prize has

After the lawn bowls match, Spey Royal Cup, although secretly the President said: so well arranged and handled by they had in the competition-only veiling of the Record board of Lawn losing by one shot. the ladies of the Club.

Full results were as follows:-Vice-President. President. C. Atkinson H. Nish H. Hatch A. S. Gomes F. L. Rapley W. E. Hale B. W. Simmonds G. J. Chambers W. Jack k Earmer H. Overy J. McFarlane A. M. Holland W. Rubsell (Skip)1 C. Pryce J. A. Ramsuy G. N. Mitchell T. S. W. West T. Gooding H. H. Rose A. R. Whibley A. F. Paul R. Morrison J. G. Meyer D. F. Warren J. Hyde D. Laing I. Deakin (Skip)10 F. C. Goodman C. J. Tacchi W. Venables B. E. Maaghum G. E. Roylange A. O. Brawn (Skip)11 (Skip)13 W. Macfarlane A K. Taylor D. W. Phillips 8. Ashworth S. Alderman 1. C. Brown

(Skip)21 W. T. Brightman II. Gittins T. T. Laurenson J. McIntosh 1 R. S. Nichol J. Ferguson J. Russell Total ... 100 it previously eighteen years ago Brousse). The President's Speech.

the Club house the President, Mr.

R. Lapsley

J. S. Logan

A. W. Grimmitt

J. Gib on

. A. W. E. Davidson

J. Puncheon

S. Gray

G. H. Sherriff

W. S. Drake

Thompson, said:-I should like first on behalf of this Club to thank our visitors and their ladies for their attendance at our Closing Day. We have players here to-day from the L.B.A. and from every Bowling Club in the Colony, and I assure you it gives us much pleasure to have such a representative collection of Howlers here as visitors. We all hope they have enjoyed the day and we thank them for the pleasure of their company.

Well, Ladies and Gentlemen, today marks the close of another season in the history of the Club. and I think you will agree that our activities in no way show any sign of declining. We have as in been won by our old friend Adam past years fielded two teams-one in the first and one in the second H. Overy. League and have had excellent games right throughout the sea-Our first team did not man-League, but they played several very good games, and we all hope that next season they will occupy

final League table. K.C.C. on winning for the first section. time the Senior Division Shield. which was a very fine performance. We have the consolation of knowing that the Shleld is now nearer to us than it has been since we won it in 1922 and I assure you we have strong hopes of persunding it to come the other couple of hundred yards next rea-

In the Second Division we have at last attained the reward of perseverance, and after being runners up for the two previous years-in both of which we tied on points and lost in the play off-we have nanaged to annexe the trophy. As MacWhirtor says in his Lawn Bowls in Hong Kong, there is life in the old dog yet. I think our hearty congratulations are due to Mr. Hale, the Captain of the 2nd Team, and his players on getting this honour for the Club.

We were unable this year to secure the open Championship of the Colony, but, we provided the winner last year and are pleased to see the honour going round; we extend the congratulations of the Club to Mr. Omar on his well deserved victory and also to the runnors up. .

We also congratulate the Craigengower Club on winning the

ceived the usual generous assistance from members and others in denating many prizes for our competitions, and on behalf of the Club I take this opportunity of thanking them for their kindness. Looking back on the Season which closes to-day I think we can congratulate ourselves on a very pleaannt and natisfactory year; this has been largely due to the way in which Members have supported us, and to the good work put in by our Convenors and the various Sports Committees to whom our thanks are

Well, Ladies and Gentlemen, before asking my wife to present the prizes, I must officially declare the and Tennis Courts shut down for their usual very brief spell, which means that they are now available for anyone who wishes to open the new Season. We all hope that the hitting of the Recroio Ladies'. coming Season will prove equally or

present the prizes. At the conclu- with the ball, and made a great dies was also convincing. sion of the distribution of prizes effort to score, but her shot was

which was only played out to the we think they were rather fortun- Ladies and Gentlemen, there is 15th head the party adjourned to ate in heating our Spey Royal Team another pleasant duty to be perthe club house for ten which was | which gave them the closest game | formed to-day and that is the un-Bowls in this Colony. This board In the Interport match with has been completed by members of Shanghal we had the honour of the H.K.L.B.A. and is the first real putting up some players in the bringing together of the results of official matches. Unfortunately, the chief competition of the games we cannot boast that our players during the past years. The Assoassisted in any glorious victory, ciation has honoured us with the

but we hope they justified their custody of this board." The prize winners werc:-

Lawn Tennia. Men's Championship:---1st, J. Rogers (presented by Messrs, Nestle & Anglothe past season of two unofficial Swiss Milk Co.); 2nd, J. Tetley (pregames --- one with the P.W.D. and sented by R. Hall). Men's Handienp Singles:-1st, one with the Society of Yorkshire-Tekley (presented by J. and G. men, both proving most enjoyable. Whilst on this topic I should like by the Club). Men's Handienp Doubles:-ist.

to advocate the extension of these perience add a good deal to the Club); 2nd, J. Ferguson and J. fast ground shot, the only goal Sturgeon (presented by Club). bowling and social attractions of Ladies' Handicap Singles:-1st, Mrs. our Club. I am afraid we gave the McTavish (presented by F. L.

at the time, which may seem the by Club). wrong way to go about encourage Mrs. McKelvie and Mrs. Howe (pre- Noronha left wing; and M. The referees further spoiled the ing visitors, but we know from sented by Club); 2nd, Mrs. Clarke and Deceller incide left. The positheir remarks at the end of the Mrs. Bons (presented by Club). game that they thoroughly enjoyed Ladies' Non-Prize Winners:-1st, tional changes were startling in whistles.

Turning to our own Club Com- Hale). petitions the premier honour, the Mixed Handienp Doubles:-1st, Mrs. send the ball across to A. Alves, ing scored. In the second half, Club Bowls Championship, was an- McTavish and J. Rodgers (presented who when tackled by E. Booth however, the Naval forwards were Brown (presented by Club).

Club Championship:-1st, L. Guy equaliser. Prior to this C. Silva minent players in the Kent side appear on the Roll of Honour for (Skip)11 the second time in connection with (presented by Club); 2nd, G. Roylance had hard luck with a fast cross were the outside left and the the Club Championship, as he won (presented by L. Guy); 3rd, A. R. shot from the right, Whibley (presented by A. D. La in 1913. The runner up was Mr. President's:-1st, H. Nish (present-

In addressing the gathering in Roylance, and it speaks very high- ed by G. E. F. Thompson); 2nd, G. R. Roylance, and it speaks very high- ed by G. E. F. Thompson); 2nd, G. R. R. Cant., B. Roylance (presented by Capt. ly for Mr. Roylance's ability as a Branch): 3rd, F. Goodman (presented bowler that he reached this ad-Vice President's:-ist, A. M. Holland C.B.A. defence, whilst C. Osmund stick when playing goal. Tate vanced stage in the chief Bowling.

[(presented by E. W. L. Hogbin); 2nd, The President's Competition has H. Overy (presented by D. Gow); 3rd, Not decided (presented by Wing On B. Walker well marked. After been won by our past president Mr. Hughie Nish, and really II know

Handleap Doubles:-1st, J. C. Brown no one more worthy. In addition and V. Ramsny (Galloway Prize-II. to being a very fine bowler Mr. Nish, Bradford and Russell); 2nd, W. Russell and R. S. Nichol (presented forced a corner. From the resultant) Nish is a pillar of support to the Handienp Singles: - 1st, L. Guy our most popular members, and a (presented by Messrs. B. Wylie and

jolly good sport. Mr. Roylance McIntosh); 2nd, F. Goodman (presentagain had hard luck in just miss- ed by anonymous); 3rd, J. Shepherd ing the 1st Prize in this Competi-Non-Prize Winners' -- 1st. G. tion, and we sincerely hope he will Sheriff (presented by W. E. Drake); have better joss on some future 2nd, G. J. Chambers (presented by 1 Skip's Prize:--W. S. Prake for-

sented by H. H. Roses

Mr. Brawn's Speech. Holland, the runner up being Mr. At the conclusion of the distribution the left. Shortly after, G. MacNider tion of prizes Mr. Brawn was cailed whose play had brightened up con- Chau & Chau's Good Day 151 lb. Turning to the Tennis Competi- upon to unveil the Record Board, siderably in this half, scored the tions we have been pleased to see He said that he was not an C.B.A.'s third goal. Within ten Brown & Coppin's Scrappit a continuance of the enthusiasm advertising agent but he would minutes of time P. Hunt added two age to reach the top of the shown in the past few years. The still insist that this new pub-further goals. compotitions have been very keen- Heation on lawn bowls was very ly contested, the winner of the interesting and strongly recom-Ladles' championship being Mrs. mended it to those who had not yet a more prominent position in the McTavish and of the Gentlemen's perused it. The money accruing Mr. J. Rodger. We shall in the from the new lawn bowls publication

HOCKEY.

C.B.A. Ladies' Make Promising Start.

BIG VICTORY.

/ [By R. I. C.]

Clark Cup Hockey Competition Injury to her right wrist from last played at King's Park yesterday week's game, played remarkably afternoon, the Central British As- well, and with E. Booth, the pair sociation Ladies' trounced the Club were formidable. D. Pinguet shone de Recreio Ladies' by five goals to in the half-back line. Of the forone. The game, which was wit- wards, M. Martin and P. Hant had nessed by a large number of sup- an excellent anderstanding on the porters, opened very scrappily, but left, whilst G. MacNider also played became increasingly exciting to well.

cleared well. From a clearance centre-forward in the second half, will now ask Mrs. Thompson to by P. Hunt M. Martin went down but she lacked support. M. Romesent out by C. Osmund who tackled well. The C.B.A. maintained pressure and their forwards were combining well together. For a

> and A. Alves. D. Pinguet Good.

position, was weak. The C.B.A. defence were playing the one-back game, and as a result the Recreto could make little headway. Main-S: taining pressure, the C.B.A. became Rodger); 2nd, W. Brown (presented dangerous, and D. Pinguet, who was playing a good game at left friendly games, which from ex- Rogers and W. Brown (presented by half-back, drew first blood with a scored in the first half.

On the resumption of play, the Yorkshiremen a rather bad licking Rapley); 2nd, Mrs. Boas (presented Recreio made several changes in their forward line, A. Alves taking scrappy game which produced all Ladies' Handisap Doubles: - 1st. the centre-forward position; L. the infringements imaginable. Remedies inside left. The posi- game by the continual use of their Mrs. Leib (presented by D. Tollan); their success for a spirited attack

C. Osmund Conspicuous.

came brighter, each team striving fault on both occasions when the hard for the winning goal. D. Kent found the net. . He must Pinguet was working hard in the learn to use his feet and not his broke up many movements and had was excellent at right back and pressing for a time play was transferred to territory, where hit by D. Hunt, a scrimmage ensued in the Recreio goalmonth from

which B. Walker netted. The Recrelo's attack was repeatedly broken up by A. Fowler and E. Booth, who were always reliable. A change suddenly came over the Recreio defence, and they fell to Continued from Column 7. pieces. The C.B.A. forwards were all over them. In a solo effort P. Hunt just missed with a shot from Hall & Shenton's The Grouse

Result:— C.B.A. Ladies' 5 Recreio Ladies' 1

Teams:— C.B.A.: Mrs. Settle; A. Fowler, Lee). I should like on behalf of the near future add hard courts to the will be donated to St. Dunstans. E. Booth: B. Hirst, M. Ground-Club to offer our very hearty con- amenities of the Club, which we The author of the book is to be water, D. Pinguet; D. Hunt, G. lengths. gratulations to our neighbours the hope will further assist our tennis heartly congratulated. The board MacNider, B. Walker, P. Hunt, and

Recrelo Ladies:-C. Garcia; C. Osmund, L. Sliva-Netto; E. Rosario, M. Alves, E. Xavler; C. Botolho, C. Silva, L. Noronha, A. Alves, and M. Remedios.

The C.B.A. Ladies' were by far the better team, and deserved to In the second match of the Caer | win. A. Fowler, still suffering an

For the Recreio Ladies', C. On the run of the play, the Ogmund played a grand game C.B.A. thoroughly deserved their at right full-back. L. Silvavictory for they maintained pres- Netto, who played centre-forsure for the most part. A feature ward last season, did not of the game, however, was the hard seem to be at home in the defence M. Alves was a fower of strength From the bully-off, the C.B.A. and played a great game. Of the were early pressing, but C. Osmund forwards, A. Alves was good at

> HONG KONG LADIES' HOLD SECOND TRIAL.

Members of the Hong Kong short period a ding-dong struggle Ladies' Club played an inter-club ensued, the C.B.A. being at fault match at Sookunpoo yesterday afterin waiting too long before tackling, noon, the Whites defeating the thus giving the opposing defender Colours by the odd goal in nine. a clear field to pass. The Recreio The match, which was played at an forwards revived their attack, good even pace, was in the nature of a work being done by M. Remedios practice for the Caer Clark Cup team. At half-time, the Whites led by three goals to two. The Whites L. Noronha, in the centre half played the first eleven forwards, whilst the goal-keeper and backs played for the Colours. The halfback line was equally divided.

Result:-Whites 5 Colours 4 KENT WIN SCRAPPY GAME

AT KING'S PARK.

On their own ground at King's Park the Y.M.C.A. lost to H.M.S. Kent by two goals to nil in a

At half time the two teams were 2nd, Miss Taylor (presented by W. E. by the Recreio saw L. Noronha on level pegging, neither side havnexed by that old campaigner Mr. by Club); 2nd, Mrs. McCaw and W. passed neatly to C. Silva, the latter making no mistake with the against the run of the play. Procentre-half.

Burson in the "Y" goal played With the scores level, play be- a great game, though he was at Parker was the pick of the for-

Result:— Y.M.C.A.

H.M.S. Kent 2 Y.M.C.A .: H. Burson; A. Tate, C. Balman; G. H. Owen, R. A. Bates, G. Mitchell; L. W. Macey. F. Parker, W. H. Smith, W. J. Brown, and J. Hargreaves.

1, 1931, and two subsequent to that date.

150 lb.(Mr. Frost) (Mr. G. U. da Roza)

149 lb. (Mr. Proulx) Also ran:-Bay of Bellingham II. 152 lb. (Mr. A. W. da Roza); Celerity 152 lb. (Mr. Ip Kui-ying); Fi-Fa 152 lb. (Mr. S. Y. Liang): Pacemaker 152 lb. (Mr. H. C

Time: 2 mins. 47.4/5 secs.

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CAST-IRON CERTAINTY FAILS SITTING BULL'S POOR **EXHIBITION**

AUTUMN CHAMPIONS LOSES

GREAT DAY FOR MR. LEO FROST'S MOUNTS.

ORLANDO'S COME - BACK

The meeting at Happy Valley yesterday afternoon rang down the curtain on a year's racing. There was an end-of-the-season atmosphere pervading the sport, accentuated, no doubt, by small fields, but redeemed to a great extent by some surprises and good

It was a great day for Mr. Leo Frost, who rode winners with monotonous regularity, and returned four wins and two-thirds out of six races. After last week's showing, King's Service created no small sensation by gaining second place in the first race, paying a dividend of \$43.

In the Autumn Champions, Sitting Bull, considered to be a cast-iron certainty, was completely out of the picture, and finished last but one in a field of five. Fi-fa made a complete mess of things in the sixth race, which was won by The Grouse, ridden by Mr. Frost. Judging from the demonstration in the stands, this win was deservedly popular. Orlando made a great come-back in the last race, and all doubts as to his ability to stick out 11/4 miles were definitely settled. Mr. "Bob" Charles secured two wins.

FULL RESULTS AT A GLANCE.

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Race 1:-	OWNER.	JOCKEY '	TOTI Win	PAID Place
Bright Star King's Service Ataman	Kong Bros. Dynasty Hau Un	S. N. Pan D. L. Newbigging L. G. Frost		\$ 6.80 \$43.00 \$ 7.80
Race 2:				
Daylight Eve Paul Pry Crown Prince	L. T. F.	R. H. Charles G. A. Harriman S. N. Pan	* 7.40	\$ 6,30 \$11.10
Race 3:-				
Brown Eyes Heliotrope Lenf As You Like It		L. G. Frost W. T. Stanton Owner	\$ 8.80	\$ 5.20 \$ 5.30
Race 4:				
Pride of Tsingtao Boxing Eve Gleneagles	Eve	L. G. Frost R. H. Charles W. T. Stanton	\$36.10	\$15,10 \$25.40
Race 5:-			•	
St. Moritz Thunderclap Rosedrop	C. Gordon Mackie C. N. R. W. H. Parkin	L. G. Frost B. A. Proulx R. H. Charles	\$ 6.50	\$ 5.80 \$ 6.80
Race 6:— The Grouse Good Day Scruppit	Hall & Shenton Chau & Chau Brown & Coppin	L. G. Frost G. U. da Roza B. A. Proulx	\$12.10	\$ 6.70 \$ 8.00 \$14.00
Race 7:-		•	,	
Sunning Brown Eyes Choctow II.	H. P. Rees H. W. Mol: - W. G. Fischer	R. H. Charles Y. T. Fung G. U. da Roza	•	\$ 6.00 \$ 9.00 \$ 6.00
Race 8:-				
Orlando Imperial Hall The Gomeril	Festival Wong Lan-kam Hall & Shenton	Y. M. Loo S. Y. Liante L. G. Frost	\$58.80	\$13.50 \$ 0.50 \$ 8.80

1.-2.00 P.M. December Handicap: (Prince's Crown Prince 155 lb. One Mile.—For China Ponies which have started in at least three Extra Meetings since Janu- (Mr. S. Y. Liang); Young Pretenary 1, 1981, and have not won a |der 149 lb. (Mr. I. M. Stewart). race since March 7, 1931.

Kong Bros.'s Bright Star 155 lb. (Mr. S. N. Pan) Dynasty's King's Service 155 lb. (Mr. D. L. Newbigging) Hau Un's Ataman 152 lb.

Also ran:-African Eve 141 lb. (Mr. Proulx); 'King's Colour 165 lb. (Mr. G. U. da Rozn); Marquis Hall 140 lb. (Mr. Ip Kuiying); Spey 150 lb. (Mr.

A. D. Caplan). Won by 2 lengths; 34 length. Time: 2 mins. 05.4/5 secs. China Ponies "BI" & "B2"

Cinsses. Evo's Daylight Eve 166 lb. ... (Mr. R. H. Charles) L. T. F.'s Paul Pry 168 lb. ..

(Mr. G. A. Harriman) 2

(Mr. S. N. Pan) 3 Also ran: - Sanction 161 lb. Won by 1 length; 3 lengths.

Time: 2 mins. 09 secs. 3.—Nullah Plate: One Mile.—For China Ponies "D1" Class. J. C. Church's Bronze Eyes

167 lb. ... (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1 (Mr. Frost) 3 L. Reldy's Heliotrope Leaf 156 lb. . (Mr. W. T. Stanton) 2 G. S. B. Bramwell's As You Like It 154 lb.

(Mr. G. S. B. Bramwell) 3 Also ran: -Twilight 155 lb. (Mr. A. L. Caplan).

Won by 11/2 lengths; many

Time: 2 mins. 15.2/5 secs. 2.—Tardy Stakes: One Mile.—For 4.—Hong Kong Autumn Champions: One and a Quarter Miles. -For China Ponies that have started in at least four Extra Meetings since January 1, 1931, two of such Meetings previous to July 1, 1931, and two subsequent to that date.

H. S. Chan's Pride of Tsingtae 155 lb. (Mr. Frost) I Eve's Boxing Eve 154 lb. (Mr. R. H. Charles) 2

L. Dunbar's Gleneagles 158 lb. (Mr. W. T. Stanton) 8 Also ran:—Sitting Bull 152 lb. (Mr. Proulx); Wisdom Stag 155 lb. (Mr. A. L. Caplan).

Won by 3 lengths; 21/2 lengths. Time: 2 mins. 35.1/5 secs. 5.-Barrier Reef Handleap: One Mile,-For Australian. Ponies which have not won \$1,500 or

more in stakes. C. Gordon Mackie's St. Moritz 165 lb. (Mr. Frost) I C. N. R.'s Thunderelap 141 lb.

(Mr. Proulx) Z W. H. Parkin's Rosedrop 154 lb.

(Mr. Charles) 8 Also ran:-Floretta 180 lb. (Mr. In Kul-ying). Won by 6 lengths; many lengths.

Time: 2 mins. 01.1/5 secs. 6.—Hong Kong Autumn Sub-Griffins Champions: One and a Quarter Miles .- For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season which have started in at least four Extra Meetings aince January I, 1931, two of such Moetings previous to July (Continued on Column 5.)



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FORD PLANES. Aid in Combating Forest Fires.

Ford trimotor planes during the smoke from the fires beneath. past Summer successfully aided in Most of the fighters and their combating forest fires in the United equipment were landed at Chamber-States forest preserves in the North- lain Basin Meadows field in the west, according to information just Idaho Mational Forest 6,000 feet received by the Ford Motor Com- above sea level. Others were depany from N. B. Mamer, operations livered at a field recently developed manager of Mamer Air Transport, by the forest service at Moose Creek

country, through dense smoke and Mose Creek and Selway River. It in tempestuous air currents boiling is 1,700 feet long and surrounded up from the fires beneath. Mr. by high mountains and tall, dense Mamer, at the controls of a Ford timber. Summer. The flights were accom- set down without trouble in the plished in approximately two hours, field and since that time repeated whereas four to five days would trips have been made without accihave been forced to travel by rail, dent. motor car and pack horse.

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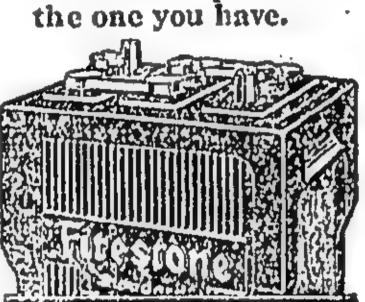


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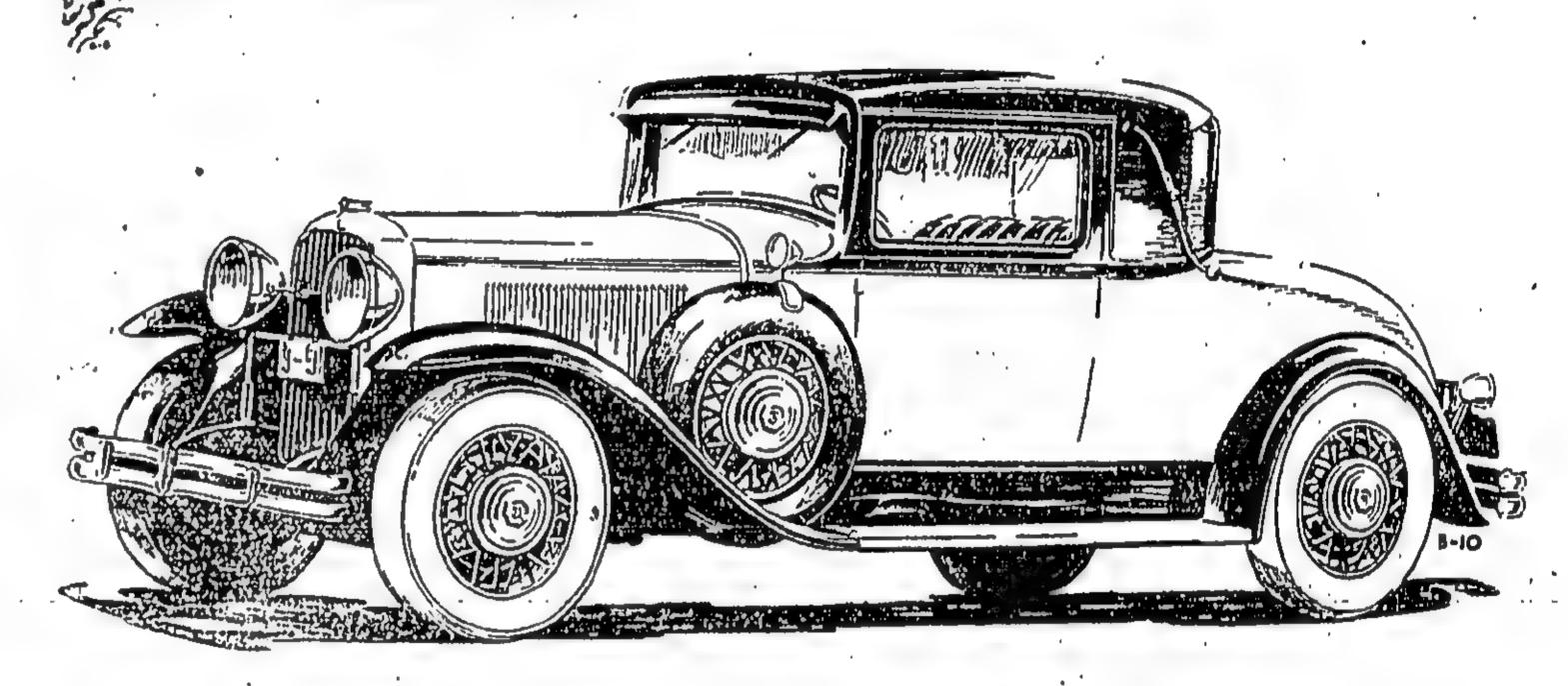
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COST OF SAFETY MEASURES REACH COLOSSAL FIGURE.

(By G. B.)

Those of us who assisted to de- There was a time when an innovelop the motor-car from a noisy|cent Home Office imagined that a and unreliable toy into universal system of registration and numbertransport failed to realise the glee plates would checkmate the diswith which the underworld would honest motorist. They ought to adopt the new locomotion and the have been disillusioned at the very neute problems which it was to outset when a mischievous journcreate for the police forces of the alist, perceiving the meshes in the world. The professional criminal Government not, announced that he that its appearance can be substantively so difficult a position in all its has snatched a new lease of life had driven his car scatheless for tially changed in a very few major aspects. If they were allowwith the aid of the motor-car, and three months with a licence-holder minutes. But such complications ed to defend themselves against has been able to fend off the as- containing the label soaked off a are hardly necessary in these mass- criticism they would probably claim cendancy which scientific police bottle of stout. The Home Office production days, when any of a that sooner or later they lay all the methods were fast establishing over was shocked, but it did not perceive dozen factories may turn out in one leaders of the new crime by the



will pass innocently through the versible number. cordon with which the police have The Police's Main Difficulty. print passport would be irrefutable. ly. the red lamp. To-day everybody week as many as 100 cars, each of heels, and that their main trouble

> Safety Mensures in London. Recent developments in the London area have rendered motor safety measures has been enormous. In the first place, an adearea. Secondly, claborate comtrate the speed patrols at the warehouses and roads, and chasing briefest imaginable notice in any locality where a crime is reported. such acute problem for the police. type of barrier, which could be A provincial city admits of closer shepherding; its residents are more stable. If the depredators come from afar, the number of roads which need watching after a raid are fewer, and the night traffic along the main national roads is easier to supervise. But at the moment the nation is unquestionably faced with a situation which will multiply its expenditure on 3 police by very substantial sums,

knows that the registration-book is adopt completely novel methods of brought into action at will. At GLEFUL knows that the registration-book is adopt completely novel methods of brought into action at will. At an expensive nuisance and does no road supervision. It is alleged present when the police definitely practical service to anybody. It that in a recent smash-and-grab know that a gang of dangerous occasionally assists the buyer of a raid the valuable booty consisted thieves are racing into London by accond-hand car to discover its pro- of quite a small parcel of very night from-for example—the The following safe-driving ting-in" and passing other traffic cise age; but he can always obtain costly rings. They were carried north, they experience considerable maxims are written by Lieut. at speed with a minimum of this more accurately by sending the off in a mass-production car, com-difficulty in stopping them, even Commander Montague Graham clearance. chassis numbers to the factory, plotely indistinguishable from hun- when the appearance of the car is White, a ploneer-motorist of 34 4. The avoidance of "close up." The criminal scouts the whole of dreds of sister vehicles. Within a known and the stolen goods are too years' experience, and appear in driving at speed behind preceding this cautionary organisation. If a mile of the scene of the theft, this bulky to clude even a superficial The Safe Driver, the organ of the cars that may suddenly have to man is going to burgle a bank, or small parcel was transferred to an-search. Of these expedients, th Order of the Road. They ought to brake without the opportunity of anatch a cashier's bag, or smash- other mass-production car of a personal identity card may prove form the motorists' own highway giving warning. and grab a jeweller's shop, minor different make; and at some un- the most useful. It is odd to re- code:--offences do not worry him. He will known distance farther along the flect that I cannot easily establish 1. Intuitive instinct as to the quate warning of your intentions perhaps equip a car with reversible thieves' ultimate route, the spoils my identity in any part of England probable actions of the driver of to following traffic, and signalling number-plates. The crime will be were handed over to yet a third car, where I am a stranger; but that an approaching or overtaking car, accordingly in ample time. committed with car XXXX42, and equally indistinguishable. Two of when I tour the Continent I am which automatically regulate your 6. Never attempt to pass anas soon as the wires are singing the three cars are supposed to have instantly identifiable anywhere own.

surrounded the area. It is even It is very greatly to the credit -G.B. in Manchester Guardian. possible to camouflage a car, so of the police that they already conwhich is an exact duplicate of the is that anybody can join the ranks 3 others, except for numbers stamp of their enemies at brief notice, so and on inaccessible portions of the that they are perpetually hunting for new recruits. The recruit to the new crime really needs no equipment except some small garage, a little mechanical knowcrimes extremely dangerous to their ledge, and the address of a more perpetrators, though the cost of the or less trustworthy receiver, to whom he can sell what he steals. The existence of these recruits comquate force of very fast police cars plicates the proper tactics of the must be maintained over the whole police, which is to identify the potential criminals, and watch them munications are needed to concen- in their haunts, as a cheaper alter-

> Thirdly, a network of foot patrols | Several palliatives have been sugmust cover the whole area, in order gested, and it is conceivable that to set the speed patrols in action some of these palliatives may yet by means of the lightning com- be forced upon us. Such measures nunication system. But this de- include mechanical provision for velopment naturally creates reac- making cars comparatively thieftions. London is not the only part proof. The ignition lock is uscless, of England where rich booty awaits but a gearlock is far more promisthe daring thief. As' motor bur-ing. Some police authorities conglaries are made more and more sider that personal identity cards risky in the Metropolis, the expert may one day be forced upon us. thief shifts his attention to the Others hold that a modification of provinces; and the inevitable corol-the French octrol system would lary is the building up of a similar help; that outside every considersystem of safeguards in the other able city each main road should be cities. The provinces furnish no furnished with a safe and simple }

THE HIGHWAY CODE

AND DURABILITY

with that number the plates will been stolen, and the third very with the aid of my passport. It is 2. An ever-present anticipation your view is obstructed or not. be swung over, and car YYY124 possibly bore an imaginary or re-true that photographs can be inter- of unseen dangers when passing 7. To make use of the horn only changed on passports, but a finger- other traffic, and driving according- when occasion arises.

5. Making it a rule to give ado-

8. To avoid driving on the 3. The total elimination of "cut- crown of the road, and passing two, anneans other cars that are engaged in the same movement, so he to be three

> inbreast. D." Last, but not least, to maintain the courtesy of the road, by slowing down for foot passengers crossing the road and to avoid aplashing in wet weather.

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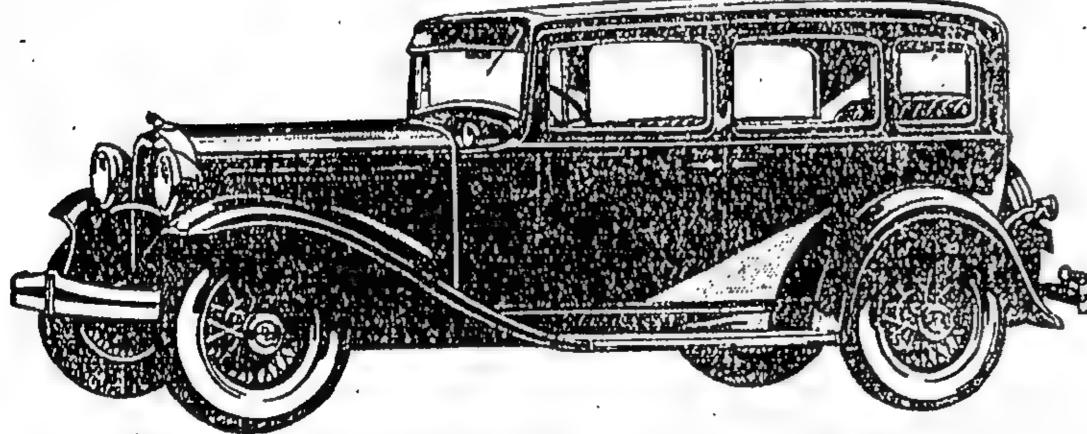
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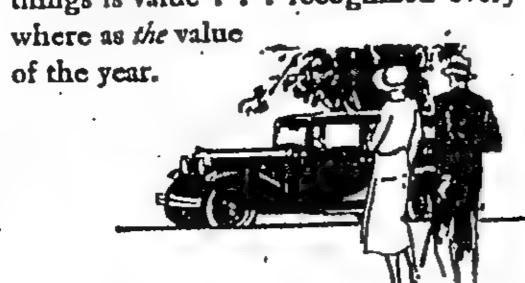
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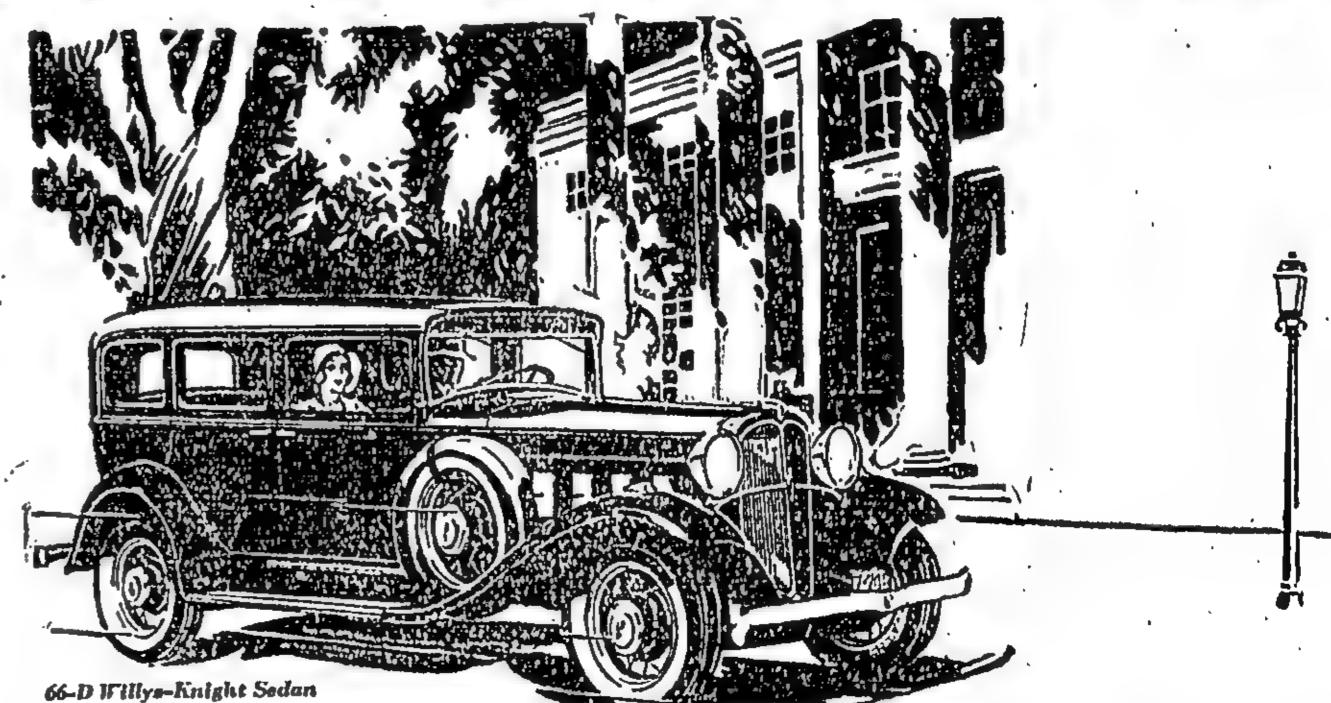
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KOWLOON NOTES

By the departure of Miss E. K. | tertainment or display, whether Walters, who sailed for Home on they are on duty or pay for admisthe Neuralia on November 26, the sion, they must render any assistat the Offices of the Diocesan Girls' School loses a nace they can to the organisers or Public Works Department, by valued member of the Staff, and St. promoters. , It was somewhat re-Order of His Excellency the Gov- Andrew's Church a very loyal and grettable, that after a very successornor, of one Lot of Crown Land faithful friend, says the current ful three days of service, the conat Hennessy Road, in the Colony issue of St. Andrew's Church duct of the Scouts of the various of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 Monthly Magazine. Miss Walters's troops at the Firework display held years, with the option of renewal services as a member of the Choir on Saturday should have called for at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the were recognised at a farewell party such severe criticism. To single, Surveyor of His Majesty the King, organized by Mr. Rupert Baldwin, out any troop because of the confor one further term of 75 years. When a dainty tea service was pre- spicuous uniform is unfair, and in sented to her as a parting gift, the dark, the colour of the scarves Both the Vicar and Mr. Baldwin paid warm tributes to Miss Walters, who will be greatly missed in many departments of Church life.

> St. Andrew's Club is again, sponsoring a Christmas Social, on December 21, tickets for which may be obtained through members of the Committee for the modest sum, of \$1. Fancy Dress optional.

The combined Carol Service and Nativity Pageant which was so greatly appreciated last year, will be repeated at 6 p.m. on the 22nd. It will be held in the Church, where the children will present their gifts for the children of the Victoria Home and Orphanage.

Once again on the evenings of ENTRY FORMS for the DARTICULARS & CCNDITIONS December 23 and 24 a Carol Choir Fourth Extra Race Meeting to be of the Sale by Puolic Auction from St. Andrew's, will be abroad, held in Macao on SUNDAY, to be held on MONDAY, the collecting for the benefit of St. December 27, 1931 (weather per- 14th day of December, 1931, at Dunstan's War Blinded Men. Last mitting) may be obtained at i p.m., at the Offices of the year they received the record sum

no may it so continue.-R.D.

rugs, handweven knot by knot, are human hand can produce. was not ensily distinguishable, (Scarves were not, I think, orginally intended to be used as a means. of identification in cases like this!!) but the majority of the Scouts attending, with the exceptiberries, dark reds, mauves, greens tion of those actually on duty in and it is hoped that Scouts will in no waterward. There the hall at the time were involved, bear this in mind on any future defects, and no acid wash. Each of Victor Records,

Badges:-Once again Second trained experts. Tony Sanh has brought a "strange" | badge to the troop, to wit "Wire- China and Hong Kong for the (Tschnikowsky), lessman" and we congratulate him. Fette Rug Co., Inc., cordially ex-

letter from Gordon and Bob Marks spection of their stock of rugs at one time members of the troop, and their store in the Peninsula Hotel they tell me of the wonderful time Arcade at any hour of the day they are having with the 11th, between 8.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Brighton Troop. Successful swimmers here, they have been the means of winning the Swimming Cup for their new troop at home. We wish them continued success and happiness in their new sphere.

General:-I had the great pleasure of visiting the newly formed Ling Tung College (Chinese) H. W. Mok's Brown Eyes 153 lb. of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 was represented at the China Ex- Nathan Road, and found them all ENTRIES close at 12 o'clock years, with the option of renewal hibition held on November 6, 7 and busy with knotting and first aid. W. G. Fischer's Choctow II. Noon on WEDNESDAY, December at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the 8, at the City Hall. On Thursday This troop, under the Scoutmaster-Surveyor of His Majesty the King, and Friday most of the boys were ship of Mr. Sau Fung-chang was for one further term of 75 years. required, but on Saturday, the last formed under the guidance of our PARTICULARS OF THE LOT. day, and incidentally a school holi- late Chaplain, the Rev. E. A. Armday, there were more boys than strong, just before he left the Turbot 148 lb. (Mr. A. W. da could possibly be used, and not a Colony, and the leaders were in-Roza). few were naturally disappointed. | vested at St. Andrew's Troop Head-While on the subject of the Ex- | quarters on October 22, 1931. The hibition, I would like to warn the 'troop is keen and flourishing; and 8 .- Finale Plate: One and a Quar-

MR. L. R. ANDREWES | 15. The Harbour Master, if not

Appointed J.P.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. Lancelot 19. The Auditor. Ruggles Andrewes to be an Official 20. Commandant of the Volanteer. Justice of the Peace for the Colony of Hong Kong.

Hong Kong Precedence Table. The following Table of Precedence DARTICULARS & CONDITIONS for Hong Kong, which has been ap- | 22. The Land Officer. of the Sale by Public Auction proved by His Majesty the King, to be held on MONDAY, the is published for general informa- 24. The Director of the Royal Ob-14th day of December, 1931, at tion:-

Administering the Government. | 26. The Officer-in-Command of His Majesty's Navai Forces on the China Station, if of the rank of Flag Officer, the Senior Officerin-Command of the Troops, if above the rank of Air Com- of Major-General. modore, their own relative rank and precedence being determined by the King's Regulations on that subject.

3. The Chief Justice. 4. (a) The Commodore, Majesty's Dockyard. (b) The Officer-in-Command of

His Majesty's Naval Forces on the China Station, if of the rank of Commodore, Captain or Commander. (e) The Officer-in-Command of

the Troops, if of the rank of Brigadier, Colonel or Lieutenant Colonel. (d) The Senior Officer of the Royal Air Force on the

mander.

5. Members of Executive Council

in their order. The Puisne Judge. 7. Members of Legislative Coun-

cil in their order. Cadet Officers of the First Class. The Director of Public Works,

if not included in the foregoing The Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, if not included in the foregoing classes. Inspector General

forgoing classes. of Colonel).

21 years' service.

included in the foregoing classes. 16. The Manager of the Railway.

17. The Crown Solleitor. 18. The Registrar, Supreme Court.

Hall 155 lb. (Mr. H. A. de B. Botelho); Edenbridge 158 lb. (Mr. Defence Corps (if below the Y. T. Fung); Grey Dawn 152 lb rank of Colonel). (Mr. D. L. Newbigging); Mount 21. Cadet Officers of from 14 to 21 Elburz 149 lb. (Mr. Proulx); years' service. Vamoose 149 lb. (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho); Wise Stag 155 lb. (Mr.

23. The Superintendent of Prisons. servatory.

The Official Receiver. The Superintendent of the Botanical and Forestry Department. Notes.

Buoy was moved to mark the star-In this table the term Flag Officer | board side of the channel for vessels | means a Naval Officer holding rank bound up river, and its colour of the rank of General Omcer, equivalent or superior to that of changed from black to red, its other Private patients\$9.00 \$6.00 \$3.00 Office, No. 3A, Wyndham St. Royal Air Force on the Station means a Military Officer holding if of the rank of Air Officer, rank equivalent or superior to that ed. buoy, Centaur Beacon bears S. 5034° | W., magnetic, distant 8.75 miles.

The precedence of visiting diplomatic and consular officials, whether representing His Majesty's Government or Foreign Govern- ty Chart No. 141 (Shanghai disments, and the precedence of trict). His Foreign Consular representatives stationed in the Colony will be poses will be obtained from six determined by the Governor on each large tanks on the roof, to where particular occasion on which the is pumped from a deep well in the question arises.

[The many friends of Mr. Lancelot Ruggles Andrewes, an assistant Crown solicitor of Hong Kong, will congratulate him on his appointment as an Official Justice of the Peace, announcement of which bridge, one entrance opening out of the school dormitory. is made in the Government Gazette.

Mr. Andrewes originally came to Station if of the rank of the Colony as a solicitor in the local Captain or Wing Com- and Master, and after practising for extensive, and will incorporate age are charged at half the fore- nurse will pay an additional charge a few years, he entered the service (Their own relative rank of the Government on October 27, precedence being 1028. Since March 19, 1930, determined by the King's has served as acting Treasury Regulations on that sub- Solicitor in addition to his other dutics.]

LA SALLE COLLEGE.

(Continued from Page 11.)

On the ground floor in the front Dore & Co. of the building is the imposing en-. Although several classes of day charges:trance hall, with its wide staircase boys are at present being taken leading to the upper floors. A cycle the school, it will not be open for charge at the rate of one third of store is found at the side of the boarders until studies resume after the rate for maintenance. entrance hall, and a baggage room the Christmas vacation on January at the rear of the building.

The Brothers' quarters are on logo is Rov. Bro. Almar, Police, if not included in the the same wing of the block as the succeeded at St. Joseph's College, dormitories, and have their own Kennedy Road, by Rev. Bro. Commandant of the Volunteer toilet facilities. The skirting on Matthias. Defence Corps (if of the rank all the walls is of Shanghai plaster, Some idea of the size while the same material is carried the building may be obtain-Cadet Officers of not less than throughout the sanitary scheme, ed by the fact that it Teakwood has been used through- took the writer of this article The Director of Education, if out, and the school furniture will more than two hours to pass around not included in the foregoing also be constructed of the same the block under the direction of one Water for washing pur- of the Brothers.

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National Anthem. ability of the colours is guaranteed. Benediction. All shades are used-rich mul-Voluntary. 12.15 p.m .- Chinese Programme golds, blues, taupes, beiges, blacks 1 p.m .- Local Time. 2 p.m .- Close Down. is no re-touching, no painting over | 8-10 p.m .- European Programme

rug is thoroughly inspected by [8 p.m.—Local Time. 8.04-8.30 p.m.—Orchestral. The Caravan, sole agent in South Capricelo Italian (Italian Caprice)

8,30-9 p.m.—

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> from the Union Church, Kennedy Road, Programme:-1. A Dream of Paradise (Gray). 2. Theme (Var.) (Faulkes). 3. Chorale No. 147 (J. Bach). 4. Offertoire (Faulkes). 5. Priero (Faulkes).

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Soprano). Violin Solo— Serenade in G Major (Areasky).

Minuet in G, No. 2 (Beethoven), Mischa Elman 1b. (Mr. Harriman); Brunswick Song-Lend Kindly Light (Newman-Dykes). Abide With Me (Lyte-Monk),

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(b) Asiatic Naval small-pox patients-Officers and men trented in Kennedy Town Hos- pectively, in Heu of the above The grounds and playing fields, pital-\$3 a day.

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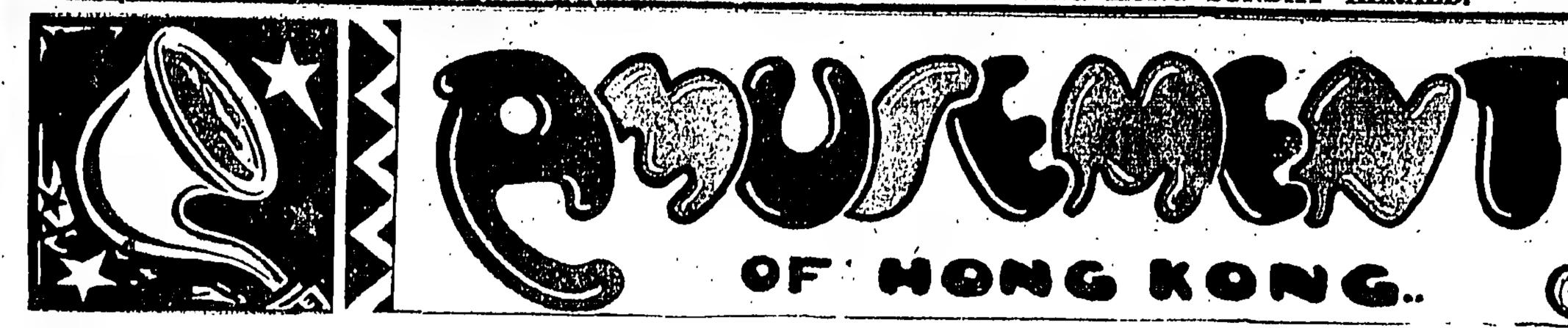
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"THE GREAT LOVER" ACE ATTRACTION AT QUEEN'S THEATRE.

directed by

HARRY BEAUMONT

The attraction at the Queen's Theatre starting to-day will be "The Great Lover," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's filmization of the New York success, with Adolphe Menjou, Irene Dunne, Ernest Torrence, Neil Hamilton, Olga Baclanova and Cliff Edwards in the principal singer. roles.

Both Menjou and Miss Dunne are east 'as opera singers, which gives them a chance to demonstrate considerable acting versitality for the respective roles are a far cry from their recent characterizations.

· Torrence is seen as Menjou's valet; Hamilton as the rival lover;

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Bacianova as a temperamental Russian actress, and Edwards as an amusing press agent. Other players of importance include Hale Hamilton, Rosce Ates, Herman Bing and Else Janssen.

noted European opera singer who !

remantic affairs result in the most | lend themselves to this tempo, unexpected if usually diverting complications.

When he tries his far-famed leading lady of the picture. for the proverbial "ride." Those beige-coloured fur. characterizations.

Lavish sets were required for the various scenes which take place aboard a trans-Atlantic liner, in the offices and audition rooms of the Metropolitan Opera House, in Menjou's luxurious apartment and in a cafe frequented by members of the operatic world,

This last set is a copy of the famous Cafe del Pezzo, once pointed out by the drivers of New York sightscoing busses as the restaurant at which Enrico Caruso entertained hia friends nightly.

Similarly no expense was spared in the matter of ward robes, Monjou of necessity havto be olamas

M-G-M FASHION NEWS. Behind The Seams.

diented by its title, the plot con- | upon . to design the clothes for | showings. cerning the armourous affairs of a ! Flying High, musical production.

as for his qualifications as a had to make them harmonize with on designs in which furs play an the inusical numbers of the pic- important part. Our hero cannot resist a beauti- ture. As the entire picture sways

Adrian designed a snappy little the pictures now being made. aviation suit for Miss Crawford, "technique" on Miss Dunne, how-I colour of the suit is orange. The | which Irene Dunne wears in "The ever, he meets more than his match | jacket is lined with Japin, and the for this young lady takes Menjou | collar and lapels are of the same | Menjou, which will open on Sunday

of straight drama, comedy inter- trimmed with a black feather. ludes and several outstanding Black gloves, purse, and slippers complete the outfit.

> sartorial elegance as part of his attraction for women, and the the costume as belonging to dressy Misses Dunne and Baclanova and others likewise having to have a large number of elaborate wardrobe changes.

selection of, a picture by the man | bloused body with fitted hipline and who directed it will be itnerested flaring flounce. in knowing that "The Great Lover" was produced by Harry Benumont, who was largely responsble for the success of the Joan Crawford hits, "Our Blushing Brides," and "Dance | Mayer studies, has promised to Fools Dance."

ADVANCE FALL FUR STYLES WORN IN "THE GREAT LOVER." 17----

PICTURE

Although there is a fall in Gilbert Adrian, Metro-Goldwyn- interest of furs in the summer Mayer fashion designer, had a hard | months, designers are gathering to-The nature of this picture is in- assignment when he was called gether their supply for the winter

At motion picture studies where Besides making clothes which fashions are created months in adis as well known for his sex appeal | were up-to-date | in style, | Adrian | vance, style creators are working

Many novel disclosures may be ful woman and since beautiful to the catchy song and dance num- glimpsed in the workrooms in the women are notoriously jealous bers, Adrian had to keep in mind Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios in Menjou finds that his overlapping | designs and materials which would | connection with styles that will be brought forth at the showings of

> Adrian, noted stylist, has just The completed an early-fall model suit Great Lover," featuring Adolphe at the Queen's Theatre.

who saw the original stage hit will Another interesting outfit which Combining black fur with a grey recall there is nothing musical Miss Crawford wears in this pro- cloth, he has used galyak fur of a about this story other than the fact | duction is a black and white suit. | fine texture of a fine fabric. This than that it is laid in an operatic The skirt is black, while the jacket is formed into a wide-lapel collar The jacket has short and fluring cuffs which edge the few and much sought after vehicles | sleeves trimmed with black fur. | three quarter length sleeves of the TALKING which permit a happy combination The suit is worn with a white hat, waist-line jacket. A close fitting hat of the fur harmonizes with the two-tone colour scheme, while black suede gloves, purse and slippers complete the costume.

This suit shows the new, fall length, reaching just above the ankles, a length that will establish afternoon wear.

The old standby, ermine fur, is also represented in the wardrobe worn by Miss Dunne. It is used Moviegors who are guided in the for an evening wrap showing a

> Nils Asther, who is to appear with Buster Keaton in Her Cardbourd Lover at the Metro-Goldwynteach Buster Swedish.

MELODRAMA OF GREAT NORTHWEST, CO-STARRING MONTE BLUE AND LUPE VELEZ.

The picture was filmed for the vistas and rushing streams of Arrowhead and the High Sierras.

greatly enhanced by the murmuring of the pines, the splash and rumble of the river rapids, the lapping of the waves against the shore, and the faint splash of a canoe paddle-all of these sounds being realistically reproduced by the Vita-

co-starred in "Tiger Rose," which was directed by George Fitzmaurice. It is a screen adaptation of Willard Mack's famous play. H. B. Warner, Bull Montana, Gaston Glass, and Rin-Tin-Tin are also prominently cast in this picture.

MARIE DRESSLER DOES NEW FILM.

In Emma, her latest M-G-M talkie, Marie Dressler will nurse babies, cook a family dinner, do a family washing, sort linen, disci- fore first the regular camera and pline growing children, nurse a then the slow motion picture through measles-to say nothing of | when he annexed the Davis Cup for seeing that the small boy's father | America year after year. gets his medicine.

problem.

ROSE" IS COLOURFUL

Many sequences of "Tiger Rose," the Warner Bros', and Vitaphone production which comes to the Queen's Theatre on Thursday, are marked by their dramatic silences. most part out of doors in the deep pine woods near Yosemite, and against the magnificent lakes and

At such moments the effects are

Monte Blue and Lupe Velez are

PLENTY OF WORK IN

In Emma, the trusted servant in | in actual competition and every a household, Marie Dresler does all | phase is shown in such a way that | the housework, and actually one totally unfamiliar with the with a naval aviator while on manages the entire family. It is a game can grasp exactly how it is location at the San Diego naval poignant little heart interest drama | done. His killing drives that are | base. He took his first flight with which promises many laughs and a so fast that the naked eye cannot some trepidation—and for the rest fow heart-throbs, and besides might | fellow his moves are slowed down of the week was busy "promoting" cast a new light on the servant so that even the finest detail of his more flights from the various I technique can be easily seen.

MOVIES SHOW TILDEN'S SECRET OF TENNIS SUCCESS

Fine Points That Made Him A Champlon Analyzed on Screen.

The "Tilden Tennis Shorts, coming to the Queen's Theatre today were made by Metro-Goldwen-Mayer for a dual purpose. The first was to show how America's Davis Cup star rose to international & fame in such a way that every player will be able to assimilate his strokes. The second was to show the millions who have never seen Barr the great court champion in action what real top-notch tennis is like. In the three single reel pictures, Tilden shows the three stages of tennis, beginner, intermediate and championship. In the first he shows two young people the first steps of the game, the footwork, back and forehand strokes, serves and all preliminary angles. After showing the various grips, he demonstrates how to put them into !

In the second subject he shows the young people the more advanced phases of the game, demonstrating each move by actual play before the slow motion picture camera so that each detail may be easily observed. He shows the drives, lobs, cannon ball serves and smashes that made him champion of champions.

In the third reel Tilden demonstrates championship tennis. Besick mother, and nurse a small boy camera he plays just as he played feminine role opposite Tibbett.

Every phase of his game is shown

TO-DAY AT THE QUEEN'S

ESPORT CHAMPLONS



LOUISE FAZENDA ADDED TO CAST OF TIBBETT FILM.

Louise Fazenda has been added to the cast of "The Cuban," new Lawrence Tibbett picture now in production at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayor studios, and will play tho wife of Jimmy Durante. Miss Fazenda has appeared in a wide variety of comedy roles in recent films, among them "Viennese Nights," "Misbehaving Ladies" and "The Broadway Hoofer." W. S. Van Dyke is directing "The Cuban," with Lupe Velez in the principal

Clark Gable, who is playing "Steve" in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayor's "Hell Divers," was invited to fly officers at North Island.

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TO-MORROW

CYLINDER LOYE Thrill-a-second ...

with SPENCER TRACY SIDNEY FOX Edward Everett Horton Jna Markei 🛮 El Brondei From the play, "Six Cylinder Love" by William Anthony McGuire Directed by THORNTON FREELAND

> Limousine tastes on a fliver income—and love hits the bumps. Blowouts cause blowups in this comedy joy ride. Trade in your cares for a snappy 1931 laugh model

Laugh-a-minute &

CAPABLE FILM CELEBS ARLEN SUPPORT.

Fay Wray Is Romantic Lead.

Fay Wray and Claude Gillingwater head the supporting cast of & "The Conquering Horde"—Richard & Arlen's latest starring picture which & comes to the Majestic Theatre for 69 two days beginning on Tuesday next. S Miss Wray was teamed with to

Cooper's "The Texan." Gillingwater is a veteran of stage of and screen. He plays the role of the Jim Nabors, the ranch foreman, in & this classic of the post-war West,

Arlen in "The Border Legion" and to

was the heroine of Gary!

Others in the cast are Frank Rice, 69 Arthur Stone and George Mendoza, three capable character comedians; 6 Charles Stevens, the "Injun Joe" of 5 "Tom Sawyer;" Ian MacLaren, who ? made a great personal hit in "Jour- 👸 a ney's End;" Ed Brady and James in Durkin-who have been featured in 6 many "heavy" roles.

A large group of real Indians & complete the cast.

EARLY START BRINGS ACTRESS & SUCCESSES.

Ruth Warren, who will be seen in to the Fox comedy "6 Cylinder Love," 🐒 coming to the Majestic Theatre today, cannot remember the time (9) when she wasn't on the stage.

This clever comedienne, who scored recently as the wife of 69 William Collier, Sr. in "Mr. Lemon M Of Orange," began her theatrical g career when only four years old. 🦝 Consequently she received her to schooling only at odd hours, and 👸 later managed to graduate from the 🥱 🚱 last of dozens of successive high 🙊 😭 schools in the various cities where 🖫 👸 she played. Despite these handi- 👸 🖓 caps, however, Miss Warren is one 🕾 🔏 of the best-read actresses in Holly- 🖫

Her latest role, again makes her 🙊 William Collier's wife. Spencer Teacy, Sidney Fox and Edward Everett Horton have the featured to 💯 roles in this story of newlyweds, 🕱 automobiles, sponging friends and m extravagance. Thornton Freeland, & & who made "Whoopee," and "Three &

THURSDAY TO SATURDAY



MANY STRIKING DEVELOPMENTS YET TO COME IN TALKING FILMS. &

Pictures Of Near Future Will Be In 67 Natural Colours Of Grandeur Type With Sound Perspective, Famed Fox Director Believes.

[By John Ford.]

(Director of such brilliant Fox 69 successes as "The Iron Horse"; "The By Black Watch": "Salute": who was just awarded the Photoplay Magagine Gold Medal of 1928 for his g directorial skill in making "Four " Sons." He recently completed "Men & Without Women," all talking Fox 69 Movietone picture of the submarine 22

Theatregoers of 1940 will accept 69 as a matter of course performances 🧣 that seem incredible to-day. In no spite of the remarkable advances & made by talking pictures in the my short year or so of their existence, in I believe that revolutionary im- 66 provements in the making and re- Be producing of vocal films will bring about changes the modern "fan" has on never dreamed of.

Those changes, from my view- ? point, will consist in a greater degree of entertainment in exchange & for his money at the ticket window & -which, after all, is something toward which the producers are always striving.

The point is that a combination in and a development of new film and 65 sound principles, principles already & proven in the laboratory and in & practice, will result in pictures as far ahead of to-day's best effort as these efforts are ahead of the crude by productions of twenty years-ago.

For one thing, all pictures will in be made in full colour. Nearly all as the difficulties of colour production in in the past, the problem of making 🙎 a film emulsion that would respond & equally well to all shades and pigment values, has practically been solved. Heretofore it has been necessary to conduct elaborate tests & and experiments on the settings and costumes for each production in & order to achieve harmony. In the ® future that, will require no more attention than is now paid to selecting the right combinations for ordinary black and white photography.

The tremendous success of Fox' 2 new Grandour film likewise inditates the universal use of doublewidth film and "screens. in 1940; 2 Although this does not actually give a

(Continued in last Column.)

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY

REALLY THE **HERO** THINKS HE SHE



a three-dimensional view, as some 🙎 think, it does supply the illusion of a third dimension to the spectator because of its extreme breadth. Popular demand will necessitate the general adoption of this feature be-

fore much longer. Another important development, which has already been tried and s found practical in the laboratory, will be the achievement of complete sound perspective instead of the partial perspective we now employ. The ordinary hearing, we use both ears to tell direction, and can tell instantly just where a sound or a voice is coming from. With present sound recording on one microphone and reproducing from one set of horns behind the screen, this directional effect is lost, and for practical purposes a theatre audience has the use of only one car.

It has been found technically practicable, however, to record sound with two microphones, placed on either side of the camera, and using two separate sound tracks, later reproducing this in an especially equipped theatre from two sets of horns on either side of the screen. Then a sound coming from a character on one side of the screen, or above or below it, gives exactly this effect to the audience, and adds immensely to the realism of the

The only reason why these developments will not come immediate-👰 ly is a financial one. To equip a modern theatre for the use of the Grandeur film and of dual sound reproducing is a highly expensiveprocess. The theatre owners recently have spont many millions in' andapting their houses to talking pictures, and for that reason it would be unfair to ask thom to undertake this additional burden at

But it is inevitable that this change will be brought about within the next ten or twelve years: After all, the theatre exists only to satisfy a great public domand, and that public naturally wants only the best. The studios are ready to do their share as soon as the theatres can handle their part of the load. Mr. Ford's nowest production,

'Men Without Women," said 'to' be one of the most remarkable vocal films ever made, will be the feature attraction at the Majestic Theatre, beginning next Thursday. Kenneth MacKenna and Frank Albertson head the all-masculine cast of this Movietone melodrama of submarine

COMING SOON! MAN" "HER

HELEN TWELVETREES PHILLIP HOLMES A RKO-PATHE PICTURE.

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"THE LEADING LADY THE SMILING LIEUTENANT"





CLAUDETTE COLBERT FREDRIC MARCH

A Garamount Picture

"MANSLAUGHTER"

THE STORY.

lectures her for trying to bribe a with the other prisoners, among motorcycle policeman, Claudette is them Hilda, her former maid. furious, and sends him away.

March reminds Claudette of her | him and swears vengeance. thoughtlessness.

vowing vengeance against March. to find happiness in his arms:

Claudette Colbert, a selfish, spoll- Stern prison discipline awakens ed girl of wealth and position, meets | Claudette to the narrow, selfish life Fredric March, young, serious- she has been leading. Her innate district attorney. Soon kindness and generosity reborn, sho they are in love, but, when March | brings herself to an equal footing

Meanwhile, March, broken by the Claudette's maid, Hilda Vaughn, blow of sending Claudette to prileads her to another clash with son, resigns his position and returns March. The maid steals Claudette's to the wild habits of his college lewels for her crook-lover, but re- days. After months of aimless pents at once and confesses. March living, he pulls himself together, agrees to help her get a light gets a job with a law firm and soon sentence if Claudette will intercede is in line for a partnership. He for her. Claudette forgets to at- visits Claudette in prison, impelled tend that trial, and, when the maid by his flerce love. She, however, gets a fifteen-year prison term, misinterprets his interest, berates

Released from prison by the interis chased by the same policeman Claudette returns to her home and she tried to bribe. She deliberate- sends for March. She tells him ly skids her car to clude him, but he that she has triumphed—that her directed the filming of the picture crashes into it and is killed. March, political friends will demand that in the heart of the black Congo, he (or she) fades away into jungle loving Claudette with all his heart, his employers discharge him, that when a young man and a girl love and stays there, all alone—away is forced to prosecute her. In he is a ruined man. He protests each other they ask her father for from the avenging hand of the spite of political influence of he doesn't care, that he still loves permission to marry. If he con- clan. wealthy friends and the efforts of her, has always loved her, and that sents, they seek consent of the an able defence lawyer, Richard nothing else matters. She sends chief. The chief gives them a long pygmies are but one of the Tucker, who also loves her, him away from her, but, as she sees talk on the duties of married hundreds of highlights that form Claudette is convicted of man- him leaving, her old love surges to couple-and unites them. slaughter. She goes to prison, the fere, and she rushes after him But not for good! The young claimed epic of life and love in the

TRIAL MARRIAGE LONG USED IN JUNGLE DARKEST AFRICAN

PYGMIES PRACTICE SYSTEM WHICH HAS SHOCKED MODERN WORLD.

"Africa Speaks" the Columbia jungle romance which comes to the Central Theatre this week reveals these little people in their most faithful. That happens very rareweirdly intimate moments and in- ly in the jungle, but when it does dientes how they have solved the age-old ever-burning problem of Then, speeding again, Claudette cession of powerful friends, how to differ between true love and

According to Paul Hoefler who party, Then the culprit meets a

people live together for a year. If ingle.

Anyone who imagines that trial; at the end of that time, they decide marriage is an outgrowth of this that they have made a mistake they jazz-stepping gin-drinking age us simply separate. If they are satisin for a startling surprise. The fled with each other and certain pygmies, an intensely moral people, their affection will endure, they go have used it to test the love of their | back to the chief. He performs a young men and girl from time im- mystic rite with them, says the director of "Africa Speaks" seals the bond-and they must live together for life.

But woe to the one who is un--it is unforgivable. He or she is a brave man or woman who would risk all for lillelt love. First, the chief frees the innocent horrible and untimely end-unless

The amazing doings of the the background to Columbia's ac-

COMING ATTRACTION!

TERROR TO MEN WHO CHEAT -----BUT TO WOMEN?

He tries cheating them himself, for love. But they heap love and riches upon him in this gripping tale of a hadlands villain who turns hero in an amazing series of hard-riding, quickshooting adventures.

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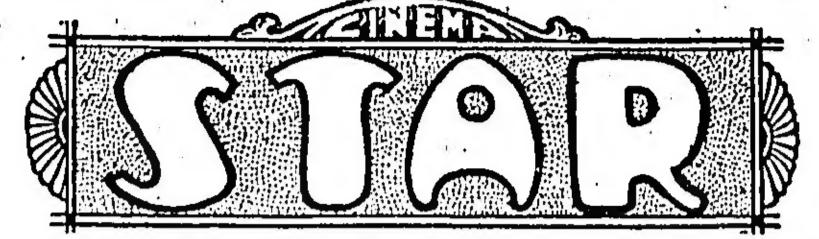






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TO-DAY & TO-MORROW



BRILLIANT PERFORMANCES OF EL BRENDEL AND MARJORIE WHITE SET PACE FOR RICHARD KEENE AND PAUL PAGE.

doubtedly destined for stardom be- | Shilling, beautiful ingenue in "On stead of dealing on a single subfore this year is ended, are includ- | Your Back," Fox movietone produc- | ject, Adrian touches on a number ed in the cast of "The Golden Calf," showing to-day at the Star Theatre, Mulhall, who already have scaled the heights in audible pictures.

famous comedian who specialises in Swedish roles, and Marjorle musical comedy stage.

World," following with even gowns. greater honours in "Sunny Side Up" and "Hot for Paris." popularity, following the showing Movietone comedy with music, is expected to bring him to the top rose-beige chenille dotted net afterof the heap in short order.

Miss White's screen, debut was made in "Sunny Side Up," in which she pushed Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell. She again scored heavily in "Happy Days," her tume. second Fox Movictone production, and in her present production she has the best chance yet.

Another potential star also included in the cast is Richard Keene, who first gained unusual attention in "Why Leave Home?" He followed up with the leading male life story of a lowly dressmaker who know" about the ever changing and role in "Happy Days" and similar part in "The Big Party." He was a Broadway and vaudeville favourite before signing a Fox Movietone contract. The other "comer" is Paul Page who played the lead in "Speakeasy" and "The Girl From Havana." A bright future is predicted for him.

Millard Webb directed "The Golden Calf," which is, a spectacular production which presents a cross-section of bohomian life , in Greenwich Village.

English, German, French, and Russian are spoken in Mata Hari, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's co-starring vehicle joining Greta Garbo and Ramon Novarro. Oddly, onough, none of the principal players are cast in roles of their own nationalities. Garbo, Swedish, plays the part of a Dutch-Javanese, Novarro, n Moxican, is Russian.

GENUINE FASHION PARADE EXPERTLY PHOTOGRAPHED.

maidenhood in all its glory is strik- | to-day still another of his highly ingly exemplified by the stunning informative bulletins about coming Two brilliant performers, un- frocks and gowns worn by Marion ; trends in the styles. To-day, intion featuring Irene Rich and H. B. of different things of style interest. beginning Thursday,

These players are El Brendel, in and about a fashionable gown of our grandmother. shop in New York and deals pri- "Hat-pins are back . . . and White, vivacious blonde come- tious mother who fails to under- of yore. Stick pins of horse-shoe dienne, recently of the Broadway stand the love of her son for a patterns are included as are Brendel scored his first audible pic- of the establishment, Miss Shilling, holders. ture success in "The Cock Eyed | the girl, wears many beautiful

crepe dress trimmed with lace, a evening kerchief is slipped.

played by a group of alluring fancy.

models. rose through her own efforts to become the leading modiste of New York's fashion centre. Irene Rich in this role of a modern sophisticated caterer to the slaves of fashion marks a new milestone on her rise

to the dramatic heights. H. B. Warner, Raymond Hackett, Marion Shilling, Ilka Chase, Wheeler Oakman and Charlotte Henry complete the all-featured

> DON'T FAIL TO HEAR

BRENDEL SING

Golden Calf

FASHION TALK.

Adrian, the famous fashion de-Petite and charming young signer for the movies, sends to us

Warner, which opens a three days' His wire reads, "The new jewel in addition to Sue Carol and Jack | engagement at the Star Theatre, | boxes have Contents which might well make one think that we had The background of the story is been transported back to the days

marily with the career of an ambi- nearly as long in length as those sweet girl. As a frequent patron the old fashioned ring kerchief

"I picked up one of these recently for Anita Page, now appearing Outstanding are an aquamarine in M-G-M's "Boarding School." It blue frost-crepe dress with large, fits the smallest finger and includes Bakou aquamarine hat trimmed a flexible chain, on which is attachof "The Golden Calf," a Fox with Alecon lace, a beige Elizabeth- ed another ring, through which the

"Sports gloves are very interestnoon frock with rose maline hat to | ing this season. They are shown in match, a tan frost-crepe dress polka dot trimmings in harmony trimmed with embroidered Batiste with the costume with which they and an alluring iridescent-sequin are worn. Miss Page, mentioned and red estrich feather dance cos- above, Is wearing an outfit I designed for her. Her polka detted The fashion show scene, which is | chamois gloves are matched with a one of the most gorgeous pageants | leopard skin sports cont. The tan of fashion ever brought to the and brown colour schome is further. screen, brings out every detail of carried out with a tan felt hat, the exquisite models which are dis- trimmed with a polka-dotted feather

And so ends Adrian's bulletin for "On Your Back" is the true-to- to-day. If you would keep "in the absorbing topic of fashion don't fail to watch this page each week for the latest hints sent on by Adrian of Hollywood.

JOHNNY WEISSMULLER TO PLAY "TARZAN."

Johnny Weissmuller, holder of many world's records for swimming events, has been selected by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer for the role of Tarzan in the forthcoming production suggested by Edgar Rice Burrougha African adventuro stories. The choice of Weissmuller for this part followed a series of exhaustive tests to find someone with a perfect physique whose other qualifications were also up to the desired standard. Tarzan will be directed by W. S. Van Dyke, who made Trader Horn: -- Noil Hamilton and C. Aubrey Smith are the only members of the supporting cast selected to

STAR THEATRE.

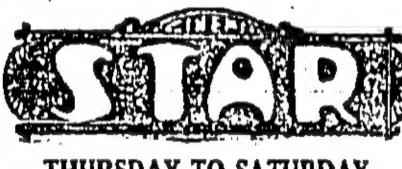
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lo-day and To-morrow:—"The Golden Calf," a gay bohemlan comedy of artists and models in hectic Greenwich village. With an all star cast featuring, Sue Carol, El Brendel, Jack Mulhall, Marjorie White, Richard Keene and Paul Page. Tuesday and Wednesday: -- George O'Brien in a tense drama of the North, "Rough Romance." With Helen Chandler and Noel Francis. An all-talking Fox Movietone.

Thursday to Saturday—The absorbing story of an ambitious dressmaker who sacrificed her son's love for Broadway approval, "On Your Back featuring trene Rich, H. B. Warner, Marion Shilling and Raymond Hackett.

MULTICOLOUR ARCTIC FILM PLANNED BY HOWARD HUGHES:

Hollywood-First all-colour motion picture of wild animal and Eskimo life will be made in connection with the MacMillan Arctic Expedition leaving June 29 from Rockland, Mc. Howard Hughes is backing the photographic end of the venture and the picture will be made in Multicolour. A Lockhead plane, "Multicolour," leaves Los Angeles for Maime to join the expedition.



THURSDAY TO SATURDAY

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TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY



O'BRIEN'S NEW ROBUST ROMANCE.

gool mountain air to a picture ge- modes. ing public wearied of problem plays i

ahd "jazz age" drama. fashion the turbulent lives of those; they occur. didly in their leading roles; pared for rainy days." story.

David Hartford are also deserving a little thicker than that you find her daughter. of mention.

All of the exterior scenes were merce. picture that should go on your "must" list.

"TABASCO KID" FINAL TITLE OF CHASE COMEDY.

The latest Charley Chase comedy now in production at the Hal Reach Studios originally titled The Krisko Kid, has been changed to The Tabasco Kid. The supporting cast of the picture, which is nearing completon, includes Francis Lee, Billy Gilbert and The Ranch Boys and The Happy-Go-Lucky Trie of radio fame. James Horne is directing.

As soon as Private Lives is finished by Motro-Goldwyn-Mayer Robort Montgomory and Reginald Denny are going into the High Sierras to shoot mountain lions. Denny has already bagged a few of the mountain mauraders, but this will be Montgomery's first attempt.

FASHION TALK.

Every week in this page, the Romance," the Fox readers of the Herald know that

Adrian's position in the world of the screen. designing is unique and distinctive. This fast moving picture is a He gowns more famous beauties Its high spot was the farewell of veritable saga of the snowlands and | than any other man or women. | He | Douglas Fairbanks as D'Artagnan lumber camps. It depicts in an in- knows the trends of the styles, and to the three musketeers. teresting and always authentic prophesies changes long before Marie Dressler: He Who Gets

a sense, the nation's last pioneers, weather man isn't always reliable; was beautifully enacted. George O'Brien and Helen in his predictions of rain, it be-Chandler acquit themselves splen- hooves the modern girl to be pre- Flesh: This picture moved me

O'Brien as a dashing young lum- "This doesn't mean, in these terization was marvellous, especiallovely daughter of a backwoods a raincoat over one arm, and an | theatre listening to the concert of trader whose devotion to O'Brien | umbrella tucked under the other, his son. is a feature of a charming love | and with goloshes in her pocket. A more simple method has been was a blending of comedy and The remainder of an excellently discovered and found successful." | pathos that, to me, has never been chosen cast give good account of | "It is now possible to have a approached before or since.

Particular credit raincoat of such diminutive size | Anita Page: Min and Bill: Marie on candy and other articles of com- Norma Shearer: Skippy: The

filmed in the Cascade mountains of | "I recently designed one of these you remember the scene where the Washington and the scenic beauty new collophane coats for little Father is trying to talk to his boy of the backgrounds, together with Dorothy Jordan, whom you have and the latter, crying as though his the acting and story, constitute a seen and loved in so many M-G-M heart would break, keeps edging pictures. including "Shipmates"; further away from him on the bed? and "Devil May Care." I made That, like scores of other little ac-Miss Jordan's of light green tions, is so human and childlike material, belted in and with trim, that you forget you are watching pockets, in exact accordance with a film. the style."

"I predict these extremely light conts will be very popular."

SONGS.

(Music and Lyrics by Little & Burke) "The Song of the Lumberjack" sung by George O'Brien and the lumberiack chorus. "Nobody Knows" (Just What it is But Mo) sung by George O'Brion and Eddie Borden. "She's Somebody's Baby" sung by

Noel Francis and chorus.

THE FILM THAT MOVED ME MOST.

Robert Montgomery: Madame X: Movietone production directed by Adrian, the great fashion designer Ruth Chatterton's characterization A. F. Erickson' which is showing for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer stars, was glorious. The scene wherein on Tuesday at the Star Theatre, provides us with an authoritative she lied to Ulric Haupt and his comes as a refreshing breath of bulletin on current styles and three fellow blackmailers was the most touching I have ever seen on

. Ramon Novarro: The Iron Mask:

Slapped: A magnificently acted sturdy men and women who are, in To-day his wire reads, "As the picture. The death of Lon Chancy

Joan Crawford: The Way of All mightily. Emil Jannings' characberjack and Miss Chandler as the times, that she will have to carry ly in the scene where he sat in the

Buster Keaton: The Kid: Here

should go to Antonio Moreno for that it can be folded and put in | Dressler's acting was perfect. his portrayal of the villainous Loup one's purse. Perhaps these coats | shall never forget that last scene. La Tour and Noel Francis for her aren't of a durability to last more where we see her being led away excellent performance as a dance than one season . . . but they do by the policemen. Her every hall entertainer. Garry Cording, good duty while they last. They emotion passes over her face, pro-Roy Stewart, Frank Lanning and are made of cellophane paper, just | dominant being joy at having saved

truest picture I have over seen. Do

A HANDY PURSE.

Awaiting the feminine Olympic there is a serviceable purse so designed that it can carry the makeup necessities.

Dorothy Jordan, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer actress, shows this newest thing in accessories which is fashloned of dark leather with a flexible strap of silver. The interior of the bag has enough room to carry all the paraphernalia needed to keep the young disciples of sport looking their best.

Appropriate the state of the st Ivor Navello, English, actor, has signed a new long-term contract with Metro-Goldwyn-Mayor to act and write.



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JUDICIAL APPEAL.

Claim for Goods Sold

and Delivered.

PRELIMINARY OBJECTION.

ment of the Puisne Judge.

defendant in the original action.

was Ip Tuen, of Tsit Shing & Co.,

147, Peiho Street, Shamshuipo,

and the respondents (plaintiffs)

structed by Mr. P. H. Sin),

for goods sold and delivered and

Alleged Irregularities.

could gather none was given.

However, his objection would ap-

ply whether or not leave was

given, only his argument would

The Chief Justice said that as

Before Mr. Lim proceeded

of

plaintiffs with costs.

regularities. He

be different.

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grant an order for the 16th.

rearance in Court.

Mr. d'Almada replied that the

notice, in the form it stood, was

Length of Notice.

as to form, asked whe-

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Court should be regarded as ap-

Mr. d'Almada replied that he

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PLEASING CHORUS.

Well Dressed, and Well Presented

Ludwig Schnapps T. R. Rowell Tranmere An Old Policeman .. R. S. Spencelayh Van EckS. A. Sweet Freda VoosJudy Court Clara VoosTilly Strange An Old Market Woman Rita Cole Minn (maid to the Hooks),

Anne Moodle Sally (Miss Hook of Holland),

The reviving of the old musical comedies is a chancy business. Unless there is a spark of life school funds and charities, was held left in them they are not revived, only dug up again; a kind of theatrical body-snatching. "Miss Hook of Holland" has a spark in it yet, despite the years in the grave yard-a spark which They were conducted round by Miss the club's premises not being sufhas been fanned into tenuous flame H. D. Swayer, head mistress of the fleiently commodious for the purby the Philharmonic Society.

The music of Paul A. Rubons has been described as slight, shallow, and impalpable. But as the old saying goes "shallow brooks found much pleasure in the siderun on while deeper wells dry out shows, which included coconut shies, in the first instance, and an hour "and Rubens' music runs on like croquet, golf, pinning the potatoes, or so devoted to musical items. that, a shallow stream, cool, fresh, and card darts. graciously fretted, "shaking small" nets of ripple in still pools."

Hook of Holland" had its risks. girls): Class 3-Hand work (Miss songs and humorous items. Mr. Our play-goers, and most theatri- Wentworth): Classes 4 & 5-Wool- Aylen ably accompanied throughout. is not ratified within four days, cal orchestras, are accustomed to lies and sweets-(Mrs. Holland and music which owes more to percus. Miss Allen): Class 5 Removesion than to the strings, and Chinese Stall (Miss Batalha and completed, Mr. Cullen, K.O.M., Governments in technical dewhich is heard rather as the ac- Miss Broadbridge): Class 6-White P.G.P. occupied the chair, and the companiment of what is happening Elephant (Miss Mason): Classes 7 chief business of the Rally was on the stage than as the reason and 8-Fish Pond (Miss White and discussed, that of the proposal to for it. The dancing in this Miss K. Grose). operetta has little to offer the cri- St. Andrew's Church Stall- erect and maintain in Hong Kong tical spectator, and no one but (Mothers' Union); D.O.G.A .- Fruits premises suitable for the business Anne Moodle had the vocal re (Miss Robinson): sources needed to put the songs | Side Shows-(1st Kowloon (St over. In any case, to savour the Andrew's) Boy Scouts under Scout- speaker called for the unanimous sweetness of Rubens one must listen as much to the orchestra as of the School troop. to the singer.

The outstanding personality in the cast was undoubtedly Anne house down with Tra La La La Moodie. She was delightfully at La where he received the support home with her part as a vivacious of the full chorus. maid. Her naturalness lent ines- | The chorus was definitely good | timable worth to her performance in the vocal refrains, an admirable Gloria" Lodge, Singapore, had and her vocalistic talent under the blending of voices in perfect time acknowledged the hospitality shown circumstances was a great but not always in rhythm with the to him by Hong Kong Lodges, Mr. triumph. Her rendering of "A orchestra. The most impressive Farmer, P.G.P. elect for 1932, Pink Petty from John" was price- grand vocal refrain was "A Little outlining the democratic character less and enjoyed the applause it Bit of Cheese" which brought al- of the Order, called for the loyal fully deserved.

dividuality of her maid though her principals. "The Cigar He Gave Her."

Of the male cast the award of of Mr. Hook said that he had spent the palm must go to G. W. McLeod more on the welfare of Arndyke ST. JOHN AMBULANCE BRIGADE. whose characterisation of Mr. than the Lord Mayor of Kowloon Hook deserves the highest meed Tong had spent on gin since he The Hon. Treasurer acknowof praise. His doddering about was a baby. The other was from ledges with thanks the receipt of floor of Lane Crawford's dance hall the stage mumbling erstwhiles was the lips of G. W. McLeod to the the following donations towards was taxed to its last square inch, skilfully mastered and showed us effect that "If a man happens to be Brigade Funds (New Territory):— and an altogether enjoyable eventhat he has not yet reached the in the P.W.D. he doesn't care a Fung Kong-un (Chifdren's stage when he will no longer be damn what the dollar may be." required to fill the leading role. The first fell flat but the second

provided the humour of a past age, The public would appreciate any and revelled in it. He was per- mention of their Colony in a Dutch feetly at home with his part and romance and I was much surprised it would have been impossible to to see so glaring an omission that particular character.

pleasant voice but hardly suited those behind the scenes. We

to an Army Captain. sossing a splendid tenor voice he Regarding the producer, all I can Chinese Y.M.C.A. (Kowloon) ... 10,845 He announced the intention of the range will include over 100 designs. matter. was prominent in one of the best say is Congratulations, a success. Chinese Athletic Association ... 10,076 ship to hold a series of dances and The current consumed by a syn- Counsel quoted authorities in musical numbers of the evening, ful result to an ambitious scheme. Violincollo, besides bringing the

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D.G.S. BAZAAR.

For School Funds and Charities.

LARGE PATRONAGE.

A successful bazaar, organised for at the Diocesan Girls' School, yeslarge gathering.

The bazaar was opened by Mrs. II. T. Creasy, wife of the Hon. Mt. H. T. Creasy, C.B.E., Director of D.G.S., who recently returned from

whilst the more energetic visitors K.O.M. of the "Oak Leaf" Lodge,

The following were the stalls and Even so the revival of "Miss Bedford): Class 2-Edible (Class II.M.S. Hermes contributed various

most the entire cast on the stage support of all members for the Dorls Bielby was a little melan- and which had an added touch of leaders they had elected. Such supchoffe for her part as Miss Hook humour with T. R. Rowell, V. C. port being essential to the successof Holland. She lacked the in- Labrum and G. W. McLeod as the ful accomplishment of the aims of

production. T. R. Rowell talking ing of the National Anthem. V. C. Labrum as a canal loafer drew titters from the dress circle.

have cast anyone better suited to The plot is very shallow and savours of the grave yard from The pompous Captain Adrian which the play was rescued but Pann suited F. E. Skinner in some the players overcome what diffiways but in others he fell very culties it offers by remarkable short of the ideal. I wish they spontaneity. The party of South not stuffed his head-dress Wales Borderers who comprised with paper-a wig might have the stage band are to be conhidden better his sunburned neck. gratulated on their success. It Many expressed the opinion that was indeed an onlivening moment "Soldiers of the Netherlands" was when they held ; the audience in the best musical number in the Tra La La La La. The orchestra Here it was that Skinner lent great aid to the production failed as he does not possess a and deserves every appreciation. voice such as John Boles or Donnis The lighting effects and scenery King, and when the full chorus were managed with an experienclent their aid he was drowned. A ed hand and bord great tribute to King's College (Present) 6,994 capable M.C. and was in no small synchronise with Greenwich time," must never forget these, people in C. Rog. Anderson as the Band- any play for without them no one Mongkok few of the older dances, all of £15,000, has been paid down at our regularities were sufficiently

-X. Y. Z.

R. A. O. B.

Rally of Members of China Province.

BUILDING PROPOSAL.

Advantage being taken of the presence in Hong Kong of the terday afternoon. There was a majority of the China Fleet, a Rally of members of the various Lodges of the Order in Hong Kong was held in the Garrison Theatre, by Public Works, who was also present. courtesy of the Army Authorities,

In the hall, neatly arranged stalls A gratifying muster of members were thronged with customers, was presided over by Mr. Deare, Messrs. Aylen, Tomkins, Smith, helpers-Class 1-Novelty (Miss Alexander, and members from to the cancellation of war debts.

and pleasure of the Order. After outlining the general proposal, the master R. Dormer) and Girl Guides support and co-operation of all members, with which, he felt confident, their object would soon be attained, and they themselves and future generations made proud of the achievement of the present members.

After Mr. Alexander, of the "Et the Order in China.

vocal resources were excellent. What surprised me most during After a further short musical series which it is hoped to hold Jos Arrestia Marcel Restaurant The prettiest song must be attri-, the performance was the amazing programme, and the usual notes of this season. huted to Judy Court who delight- rarity of topical allusions. There thanks to officers and artists, the ed the full house with her song, were only two during the very long meeting terminated with the sing-

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RUGBY FOOTBALL.

[From Our Own Correspondent.] London, Last Night. South African XV overwhelmed

Ulster by 30 points to 3.

WAR DEBTS.

America Opposed to Cancellation.

MORATORIUM DEBATE.

Washington, Yesterday. The United States Government has reiterated that it is opposed This announcement followed a day's debate in Congress on the Harding, R. J. Jones, Capt. S. R. After the musical programme was will place all European debtor fault.-Reuter's American Ser-

<u>ក្រោកកម្មក្រោមសហកាលពេលក្រោកកម្មក្រកាសកាលការក្រោក</u> FAIR WEATHER.

The Royal Observatory's weather report last night stated:

A strong anti-cycloné over N.E. China is spreading South-

and moved to Hakodate. Forecast: - North winds

strong; fair.

The depression has deepened

H.M.S. KENT.

Flag Ship's First Dance

of the Season.

The dance held by the flagship on Tuesday last, was the first of a

The dance was highly successful -too successful from one point of 27767, from Canton. view, that of the dancers them-

selves, who found the floor rather crowded, with the excellent number present. Over 300 were present and the

ing was spent. A gratifying feature of the Dance 5 was the number of ladles present; and the Sunday Herald may be forgiven for hoping that its appeal to the ladies to assist at the Ser-10 vice dances may have been in part 10 responsible for the very satisfacof ladies attending.

10 the able leadership of Mr. Wm. in Britain under British patents. Humphrey, L.R.A.M., proved itself to be a decided acquisition to the The Smith Synchronous Clock is Colony, maintaining throughout worked off the A.C. mains—the orso greatly appreciated by dancers, light plug. It is claimed that the Number vaccinated—free of This Band also introduced several clocks are absolutely silent in charge—by members of St. John old and well known tunes, in operating, and go for years without Ambulance Brigade, up to and in- geniously adapted for the modern winding, regulating or attention.

Petty Officer Pitcher made a special gearing moves the hands to application for leave to appeal. 957 measure responsible for the suc- an official of the manufacturing firm regarded it as a combination of

LEAGUE MATCHES.

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2 Preston N.E. 4 Notts Forest LETTERS AND RADIO

Addresses Which Cannot Be Traced.

POST OFFICE LIST.

A General Post Office notification gives the following unclaimed correspondence, etc., waiting At Belfast this afternoon the at the Post Office and also unclaimed radio telegrams at the for leave to appeal against a judg- ception of themselves, were pack-Radio Telegraph Office. Government Building:-

> Poste Restante Correspondence. Capt. J. W. Andrews, M. Burto,

E. F. Bowen, R. A., E. Brozard, R. N. Biswos, China Bird Co., China 111, Yu Chau Street, Shamshui- trade, has disappeared, swallow-Trading Co., Mrs. M. De Choy, Mrs. 100. S. F. Chalfin, Cheung So Fui, Mrs. S. F. Chalfin, A. T. Cox, Chien Sing Toi, D. H. Clarke, Miss L. Clement Mrs. A. Darrow, Eastern Bank Ltd. Fayton, L. Guisburgs, C. Goldkette, J. Gamblin, Pifi. Galcani, J. F. Garges, S. H. Haskell, J. Home, H. I. Kitching (s.s. Chasinar), J. L. Kavieng, Alexander Kock, R. C. Lim. Miss D. London (B.C.M.S.) Miss Livesny, Frank Lee Sang, Bud. McEvoy, E. J. Ptr. Moore, Mogra & Co., Eric McMillan (s.s. Chasina), Reni, Mockly, T. McDonald, Miss R. Metcalf, J. McCarthy, F. Munford, Mrs. X. Medvedeff, H. G. Millar (c/o Butterwortt), Northern Bank with his application, Ltd. M. Podoli, Mr. Piters or Cher- d'Almada said that he had a preniakoff, H. C. Rabbetts, J. Read, liminary objection to make. S. S. Rappaport, Mrs. T. Soares, Saying that the notice of mo-Miss A. Sirnonoff, Siam Commercial tion and form

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Unclaimed Radio.

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11 BRITONS MISSING.

Two Survivors On A Raft.

Oslo, Yesterday. A raft with two desperate seamen holding the bodies of four comrades has drifted ashore near 2 Manloey.

The raft belonged to a German steamer with a crew of 32, which, it is believed, grounded and sunk. -Reuter.

Britons Missing.

Oslo, Inter. Eleven British seamen are missing from the steamer which

is now believed to be the German-owned trawler Venus with The Chief Justice (Sir Joseph a cargo of fish from Iceland. H. Kemp, K.C.) and the Puisne | The two most exhausted raft Judge (Mr. Justice R. E. Lind- survivors are the first officer and sell) sat in the Full Court yes- the first engineer. They report terday to hear an application that all the crew, with the ex-

The appellant, who was the is unknown.-Reuter. Fur Ship Lost, Point Barrow, Dec. 10.

ed in two boats the fate of which

The 1,300-ton vessel Baywere the Wong Kwai Kee firm of chimo, employed in the fur ed up by an Arctic storm which The appellant was represented has raged for three days off the by Mr. Richard C. H. Lim (in- Alaskan coast.

The Baychimo has been here while the respondents were re- two months caught fast in the The Agent, E. C. Fredericks, Frank presented by Mr. Leo d'Almada, ice which had closed round the jun., (instructed by Mr. M. A. da ship. The passengers had been taken by air to Nome, while five The action heard by the Puisne marooned members of the crew Judge was one claiming \$925 remained to winter ashore.

> It is believed that the ship, materials supplied, and costs of which was carrying a valuable the action. After several hear- cargo of furs, has been either ings, on November 23, his Lord- broken up by ice or carried out ship entered judgment for the to sea with the ice floe.

No lives are lost.—Trans-ocean Service.

PASSENGER LISTS.

. . ARRIVALS.

Per s.s. President Harrison from America, Japan and China, December 12:-said that

F. V. Chamberlain, F. Frick May. Tuson, Miss Wood, A. G. Watson, know if leave had been given for Jauregin Intze, Robert G. Myers, chort notice, but so far as he Mabel Steel.

> Per R.M.S. Empress of Russia from Canada, Japan and China, December 12:-

Mr. M. A. Annett, Mrs. J. Carhe remembered the position was roll, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Walden, that he was asked for a date. Miss M. C. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. He had thought that the appli- W. G. Goggin, Dr. R. M. Gibson. cation was ex parte in the first Mr. P. Nipkow, Mrs. H. Timms. instance and accordingly he Miss N. Cramp, Mrs. W. A. Davigave a date. It then occurred son, Mr. H. C. Pullen, Dr. and Mrs. to him that notice should be J. A. Venn, Mrs. J. E. Barnes, Mr. served on the other side. No J. R. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J leave had been given for inter Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gledhill, Mr. T. R. Home, Mr. E. A. Mr. d'Almada argued that that Harneik, Capt. J. G. Horn, Mr. J. appearance in Court was inter E. Hargreaves, Mrs. M. L. Mon-Ellictt Great Eastern Hotel, from parte, and proceeded to submit tague, Mr. R. T. McDonnell, Miss that it was clearly laid down H. Powell, Miss E. C. Sugg, Mr. 6670, 6907, 3189 0001, 7190, 0362, that two clear days must be J. T. Ward, Mr. C. G. Riedel, Mr. given between service of the no- F. H. Dillon, Miss A. K. Hilken, Wood, Peninsula Kowloon, from tice and the date of the hearing Mr. M. A. T. Iyangar, Mr. E. Larsen, Mrs. C. Guston, Miss T. Gus-The Chief Justice asked if Mr. ton, Mrs. O. Kusakabe, Mr. N. M. d'Almada deduced from that Krasnoporoff, Miss A. Sales, Mr. that the Court could not now K. Vogel, Mrs. E. H. Vey.

Per s.s. Changte from Australia

one which should be discharged, via Ports, December 11:-Mr. T. R. Anderson, Mr. R. M. and not one for their Lordships to see fit to grant an amendment. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bond. Miss V. I. Copland, Mr. and Mrs. Counsel proceeded to point W. Glendenning, Miss K. Glendenout that the length of notice of ning, Miss M. Glendenning, Mr. L. marketed - the first synchronous motion given by the other side Glendenning, Mr. F. C. Howard, The "Invicta" Dance Band, under electric household clock to be made was not sufficient. The notice Mrs. L. S. A. Larsen, Sq. Ldr. he had was dated December 10 Malley, Mr. K. Nelson, Mr. D. and was served on the afternoon Nelson, Mrs. C. de Robertson, Miss of that day, so that two clear D. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. that perfect rhythm, characteris- dinary household electric supply—by days had not clapsed between the Rodney, Master M. Rodney, Mr. A. tle of the Service Bands, which is merely connecting it to an electric serving of the notice and the ap- C. Spence, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Surroy, The Roy, and Mrs. H. A. Wit-The Chief Justice, speaking tenbach, Master T. H. Wittenbach.

> tion with the Puisne Judge, the Chief Justice decided to adjourn the application for further argument on Tuesday afternoon.

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